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BEEF BARONS REVIVE OLD IMMUNITY PLEA IN DEFENSE

Trial of Packers is Re-Opened With New Sensation Sprung by Counsel--First Witness Called.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—When the trial of the ten Chicago meat packers under indictment for criminal violation of the Sherman law was resumed before United States District Judge George A. Carpenter today counsel for the defense sprung a surprise on the government by reviving the famous immunity plea by which seven of the packers escaped possible convictions several years ago.

Attorney John S. Miller who successfully raised this point in the former proceeding, used the argument today in a motion to have the court exclude all testimony in regard to the transactions of the packers prior to July 1, 1905. He said the testimony would be incompetent in the present trial. Judge Carpenter intimated that he had passed on practically the same question when he denied the plea of abatement before the beginning of the trial and he said he was not disposed to change his decision unless some new points were raised.

Will Put Argument in Writing.

Counsel for defense agreed to put their argument in writing and submit it to the court before the close of the day and Judge Carpenter then announced he would defer his ruling.

Albert H. Veeder, attorney for Swift & Co. since the organization of the corporation in 1885, was the first witness called by the government. He was on the stand throughout the morning session and admitted the packers in 1900, 1901 and 1902 had an organization which met in rooms adjoining his office and that his son, Henry Veeder, acted as secretary of the organization for two years. He said he never heard the name of the organization and had no knowledge of the business transacted at the meetings every Tuesday afternoon. These are the meetings at which the government contends the price of meat was fixed by the old packers' pool prior to the organization of the National Packing company in 1903.

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TURKEY AND ITALY MAKE EFFORTS TO END FIGHT

Grave Danger of Break-up in Old Alliance of Germany, Austria and Italy---Withdrawal Expected.

Rome, Dec. 26.—An exchange of communications between the Italian foreign office and the chancelleries of other European powers is proceeding at the present moment with the greatest activity.

The subject of the communications is the war in Tripoli, but the question of the renewal of the triple alliance between Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy also is being discussed.

Efforts are being made both by the government in Constantinople and the Italian foreign office to find a possible basis for the conclusion of peace between the two countries.

The negotiations regarding the triple alliance are of the most important character, as it is conceivable that they might even result in the withdrawal of Italy from the alliance and the consequent strengthening of the triple entente between Great Britain, France and Russia.

WE HAVE WITH US TODAY MR. TYRUS RAYMOND COBB

World's Greatest Baseball Player Comes on Theatrical Engagement--- Tardy Arrival Cancels Matinee.

Nearly an hour late Tyrus Raymond Cobb, star of "The College Widow" company, arrived in Fort Wayne shortly before 1 o'clock today and was met by Manager M. E. Rice, of the Majestic theater, who conducted him to Jerry O'Connor's automobile, which was one of many that had been offered him by base ball fans.

W. M. Griffin's big car was also in waiting, but in the toss up for the privilege of conveying Mr. Cobb to the hotel O'Connor won out and he whizzed his man down to the Anthony hotel so he could get his lunch and be ready for the matinee performance. This was unnecessary, however, as the late arrival of the train made it impossible to get the scenery from the depot and set up in time for the matinee.

Matinee is Called Off.

Rather than attempt to hold an audience Mr. Rice decided to abandon the afternoon show and put on one tonight. Mr. Cobb's first inquiry on his arrival was for George Mullin, who he knew lived in this section of the country and whom he hoped he would be able to meet during his stay here.

This is a theatrical story and for that reason the star will be known as Mr. Cobb and reference to "Ty" and the Georgia peach will be religiously avoided.

To get right down to pins and tacks people who have seen Cobb play say that he is an actor of merit and that he has an entirely different side that is being rapidly developed under the direction of the actors of his company, who are coaching him constantly.

Good Play and Company.

Then there is another thing to be considered. "The College Widow" is a play that is good, with or without Mr. Cobb, although he was added to the company because he is the world's greatest and best known ball player and with the assurance that his presence will prove a strong attraction, the public must not lose sight of the fact that the play is excellent and that he has been surrounded by high class support.

Then there is just one more thing that has developed since Mr. Cobb became attached to the show. He has shown the same enthusiasm that has characterized his career on the diamond. He does not want to be known on the stage as a ball player peddling his reputation through the medium of some very bad acting.

He is making the same careful study of stage craft that he has made of his chosen vocation and he goes into each performance with as much zest as he puts into a diamond battle. He likes the business and is authority for this himself.

Likes Stage Work.

In a hurried interview with The Sen-

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POLICE SHAKE-UP STILL CONTINUES

More Chicago Officers to Be Tried for Neglect of Duty.

ONE GREAT CLEANING

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Inspector John Wheeler, Captain Patrick J. Harding and lieutenants Daniel Kelliher, George T. Prim and John B. Enright, forming the third group of police officials to be called to account for alleged incompetency, inefficiency and neglect of duty, were scheduled to go to trial today before the civil service commission. The men were in charge of what was known as the south side levee district. Wheeler had been commanding officer over this district for years. Inspectors Dorman and Revere have been tried and dismissed by the civil service commission. Captain Harding will be the second captain to be tried. Captain Baer's case has not been decided thus far. He, with Lieut. Hanley, was tried with Revere. Hanley was acquitted. Two lieutenants, Ambrose and Howard, were dismissed with Dorman.

TYPE OF PERSIAN SOLDIERS IN CONFLICT WITH RUSSIAN TROOPS

PERSIAN WARRIORS AT TABRIZ. FROM THE GRAPHIC.

Tabriz was the first city in Persia to feel the iron hand of Russia in the present trouble. Fifty Persians were killed by the Russians, who afterward bombarded the government's palace and demolished many private dwellings with their artillery. Types of Persian warriors at Tabriz are shown herewith.

CALLED FOR CONFERENCE IN FORT WAYNE THURSDAY

Republican Leaders of Twelfth District Have Been Invited to Talk Over Party Affairs.

Republican chairmen, together with a number of party leaders in each of the six counties comprising the Twelfth congressional district, have been called to Fort Wayne for a conference which will be held at the Rundall hotel on Thursday afternoon.

The call has been issued by District Chairman Henry, and at that time preliminary plans for the active reorganization of work in each of the counties is to be discussed. It is expected that the meeting will bring together a considerable crowd of the recognized republican leaders in northeastern Indiana and arrangements will be made for holding the caucuses for the selection of delegates to the district convention in accordance with directions from the state committee.

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Another matter to which special attention will be given is the selection of precinct committeemen for the coming campaign. It is pointed out that the work of the precinct committeemen will be no sinecure in the future, for with the registration law going into effect, it will be up to the precinct committeemen of each of the political parties to see that the voters of their respective parties get out and register or they will be barred from voting at the fall election. Three registration days are provided, the first one 180 days prior to election and the last one but thirty days before the balloting in November. Both party organizations are shaping things to get the work of registration under way as thoroughly as possible.

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The trend of gossip in local democratic circles forecasts the re-election of W. A. Johnson as democratic chairman for Allen county if he can be induced to accept the place for another term. Mr. Johnson's management of the campaign affairs appears to have given general satisfaction to his party.

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The question of delegates to the next national convention is one that is giving local republicans some concern just at present. There is a belief that Allen county will insist upon having one of the two delegates allotted to the district, and the man most often mentioned for the honor is W. M. Griffin, of this city. The other delegates place is likely to go to an outside county—either DeKalb or Lagrange, and there are many who favor Hon. J. D. Leighty, of St. Joe, former congressman, for the place.

CASHIER APPOINTED RECEIVER.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 26.—Frank C. Fisbeck, cashier of the Terre Haute National bank of this city, today received from State Auditor O'Brien notification of his appointment as receiver of the German Loan and Savings association, whose secretary, Joseph Miller, recently fled to Germany, leaving a shortage now estimated at $10,000 in his accounts. The bank of which Mr. Fisbeck is cashier has claims of $4,200 against the association. Advices from the auditor are that the creditors, under the law passed last February, will be compelled to stand the loss.

LIVES OF COINCIDENCES.

Wichita, Kas., Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey, pioneer residents of this city, who were born on the same day seventy-six years ago and who died within a period of four hours, were buried here today. Both coffins were lowered into one grave. Bailey, a veteran of the civil war, died at his home here. Death came to his wife in an insane asylum in Osawattomie, Kas. Neither knew the other was ill.

COLLEGE FOLKS IN CONVENTION

Lafayette Entertains Delegates of Clubs from Many Lands.

MEETING AT PURDUE

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 26.—College men and women of many lands arrived today for the convention tomorrow of the American Association of Cosmopolitan clubs, the purpose of which is to eliminate racial lines in educational advancement.

Representatives of the Corda Fratres, the corresponding European organization, will attend the sessions, which are to be held in the chemistry building of Purdue university. Prof. A. W. Cole, of Purdue, president of the American association, will preside. The first society of college students of different nationalities was formed within the University of Wisconsin.

The organization of similar clubs in other universities and colleges followed. In 1907 they merged in the national association and this year affiliated with the European organization.

XMAS PAROLES COME TOO LATE

Freedom Papers Slow in Arriving—Holiday in Prison.

HARD LUCK FOR 7 MEN

Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec. 26.—Paroles for seven inmates of the Indiana reformatory, granted by Governor Marshall, on recommendation of the state board of pardons, arrived too late to permit of the men having been released for Christmas, but some of those whose paroles were authorized at the last meeting of the board of trustees, were let out in time to spend Christmas with their friends. George Johnson, paroled thirteen months ago to a firm at Cincinnati and "missing" since last June, was found in that city and returned by John S. Pernett, field agent for the institution, just in time to spend Christmas within the reformatory walls. He came from Indianapolis in 1908 for petit larceny.

DR. MAYO IMPROVING.

New York, Dec. 26.—It was said at the Presbyterian hospital this morning that Dr. C. H. Mayo, the eminent surgeon of Rochester, Minn., had spent a fairly good night and that his condition today was satisfactory. The doctor is recovering from recent operations for appendicitis and gall stones.

MEXICO MAY NOW HAVE REAL PEACE

Reyes' Surrender Ends Perplexing Problem for Madero.

ASKS MERCY FOR MEN

Mexico City, Dec. 26.—The surrender of General Bernardo Reyes at Linares, Nuevo Leon yesterday, it is believed here, marks the end of the most perplexing problem yet brought before the Madero government.

Seemingly all over the country recently, have sprung small revolts and most of them were in the name of the former military leader of the country. His following was considered very strong and to this was attributed much of the apprehension of the government when he started his revolution. He formerly was governor of the state of Nuevo Leon and later commander-in-chief of the Mexican army.

General Bernardo Reyes who surrendered, will be brought to Mexico City to answer to the charge of sedition. In answer to Reyes' appeal for amnesty for his followers, Minister of War Gonzalez Salia has promised "all consideration" within the law to those who lay down their arms unconditionally.

Surrenders Alone.

Defeated and stripped of former arrogance and pride, General Bernardo Reyes, Mexico's one time greatest military leader and more recently leader of a revolt that threatened to tear the country from border to border, surrendered at Linares yesterday but later was given his liberty on his word that he would not leave the city.

He surrendered officially to General Trevino, a personal enemy of years. Riding alone into Linares yesterday the gray-haired rebel gave himself up to Lieutenant Placido Rodriguez, commander of twenty-five rurales, the sole military guard there. Permission was obtained to telegraph a formal capitulation to General Trevino, commander of the third military zone at Monterey.

Fond Hopes Shattered.

He frankly admitted his dream of another successful revolution had come to an end and placed himself at Trevino's disposal.

"I called upon the army, I called upon the people," telegraphed the broken general, "and no one responded. This attitude I regard as a protest and I am resolved not to continue this war against the government. I place myself at your disposition."

Reyes asked no guarantees for himself but pleaded for mercy for the little group of men who have followed him in his wanderings to and fro throughout a large area in this state and in the state of Tamaulipas. He requested consideration for them. They yet are fugitives and will be hunted down by Trevino's men unless they too surrender voluntarily. To Reyes' message, General Trevino replied that General Reyes would be kept under guard in Linares, pending instructions from the central government.

Soldiers Prove Unfaithful.

The climax to Reyes' unsuccessful attempts to recruit an army came Sunday and resulted in his decision to surrender. A small body of his followers engaged in a skirmish with about an equal number of federals and at the first shots the rebels took to their heels. Reyes was near the scene of the engagement. No one was killed.

After hearing that these few men whom he believed faithful and brave fighters had run from the smell of powder and the crack of the enemy's rifles, it completely disheatened the old general and he came in today and gave up.

Reyes was not surrounded and might have kept up a flight for many days but without the small army he had so confidently expected to recruit, the humiliating finish was almost inevitable.

The end of the week probably will see General Reyes occupying a cell in

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SANTA CLAUS FLEES INTO STREET WITH GARB AFLAME

Young Gerke Has Narrow Escape When His Clothing Catches Fire in Lighting Christmas Candles.

Residents of South Harrison street, near Pontiac, had a lively chase Sunday evening after a Santa Claus who was running frantically down the street, with his clothing aflame, and leaving in his wake a trail of fire as the burning trimmings of his Christmas garb dropped from him as he ran.

The Santa Claus was a young man named Gerke, residing on South Hanna street, who was participating in the Christmas festivities at the home of a relative, Ernest Fuhrmann, 2820 South Harrison street. He was overtaken in his wild flight by several persons who saw his peril. They rolled him upon a lawn to assist in extinguishing the flames and tore the blazing remnants of his Santa garb from him. The young man escaped with some burns about his neck and hands, though he suffered considerably from shock.

Mr. Gerke, after attending Christmas eve services at Emmanuel church with the Fuhrmann family, hurried home ahead of them, according to program, hastily climbed into a Santa Claus garb and proceeded to light the candles on a Christmas tree which was in readiness in the Fuhrmann home. Unluckily he began lighting the candles at the bottom of the tree, and in reaching over to light the upper ones his gauzy, cotton-trimmed uniform caught fire from the lower candles. In an instant the young man's garb was ablaze from head to foot, and in terror he fled into the street. Neighbors sitting by their windows saw the flaming form darting down street and they started in pursuit, overtaking him with the results above stated. Just as they succeeded in getting the fire extinguished Mr. Fuhrmann and his family reached the spot, en route home from church. Mr. Fuhrmann, after seeing that Young Gerke was not seriously injured, hurried home to find the rugs ablaze on the floor, having caught fire from falling bits of burning cotton as the terrified young man was struggling to open the door to escape from the home. The Christmas tree was uninjured and was radiant in its tinseled and lighted glory.

CHINESE DYNASTY MAY BE FORCED TO DECIDE FATE

Throne Yielding to Reformers and National Assembly is Suggested to Help---Republic a Certainty.

Peking, China, Dec. 26.—Premier Yuan Shi Kai has submitted to the more prominent Manchus here the proposal emanating from Shanghai for the meeting of a special national assembly to decide on the future form of government which shall be adopted for China. This step by the premier means that he asks the court to decide its own fate because the members of such a national assembly would decide in favor of a republic.

If the Manchus agree to adopt the suggestion their decision to do so will be promulgated as an edict.

Demand Election at Once

Shanghai, China, Dec. 26.—As no reply has yet been received by Tang Shao Yi to his dispatch to Premier Yuan Shi Kai pointing out that the acceptance

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MURDERER LAYS CRIME TO DRINK

Slayer Makes Temperance Talk to Jail Inmates in Chicago.

A STRIKING HOLIDAY

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Seventy-seven murderers, with 600 other prisoners, partook of Christmas dinner and exchanged yuletide greetings at the Cook county jail yesterday. In many respects the holiday was the most unusual in the tragedy-laden history of the institution.

Ewald Shiblawski, one of the four murderers sentenced to hang Feb. 16 next, delivered a terse temperance lecture to a group of prisoners. He said:

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"BUSTING" OF STEEL TRUST POSTPONED

Attorney Grants Extension of Time to the Iron Magnates.

JOHN D. DID NOT ASK

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 26.—United States District Attorney Vreeland in the United States circuit court today announced a further extension of time had been granted for the filing of answers in the suit of the government for the dissolution of the United States Steel corporation. The time was extended from the first Monday in January to February 1 in the case of the United States Steel corporation itself and for twenty-five or thirty other defendants in the case.

The only defendants out of the entire sixty who have not asked for an extension of time are John D. Rockefeller and John D. Rockefeller, jr.

The Minnesota groups of mining and land companies secured an extension some time ago to January 15 and thus far they have not asked for further time. It is believed here, however, that all of the defendants will ask for it and will have their time for filing answers extended to February 1.

INTERESTED IN PERSIAN AFFAIR

England Puzzled by Contradictory Reports from Asia.

THE TRUTH UNKNOWN

London, Dec. 26.—The proclamation of martial law at Teheran following the dismissal of W. Morgan Shuster by the Persian cabinet and the fragmentary reports received as to a bloody massacre by Russian soldiers at Resht are causing serious apprehension here.

Little additional information regarding the reported massacre has been received. According to the latest advices the main trouble occurred last Sunday, when the killed at Resht are said to have numbered 500, including women and children. Direct dispatches from Teheran make no references to these serious casualties and a report from the Russian consul at that point states that order is now restored, although he is preparing for further outbreaks.

The startegic point of Tabriz is another center of constant and serious collision between the Russian and Persian elements. The small force of Russians that has been stationed there for some time has recently been reinforced. The Russian troops have come into contact on several occasions with the populace and one dispatch received here says the Russian artillery swept the streets.

MINER CUT IN TWO.

Terre Haute Man Meets Terrible Death While On Duty.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 26.—S. J. Buck, a timber worker in the lower vein mine near here, was cut in two by a miner's train while crossing the river bridge this morning. He tripped while trying to cross the bridge ahead of the train, and was on his hands and knees attempting to crawl from the track when struck.

VETERAN OFFICER EXPIRES.

Washington, Dec. 26.—Major General Charles L. Hodges, U. S. A., retired, died at his home here early today, after an illness of several months. General Hodges was born in Rhode Island on March 13, 1847, and entered the volunteer service at the outbreak of the civil war when he was only 14 years of age. In 1869 he entered the permanent establishment and served continuously up to March 13 last.

WAS VICTIM OF A CHRISTMAS JOKE

Officer Harkenrider Has a New Watch After a Long Worry.

FAMILY TOUCHED HIM

Patrolman Henry Harkenrider was the victim of a little family joke that for several days kept the police force guessing and had him all fussed up over the loss of his watch which had served him faithfully for a number of years and which was greatly prized by him.

One morning he got up to go on duty and just before he left home he missed his timepiece. He searched and his household joined him, but it could not be found.

On the way to the station he racked his brain but he could not for the life of him recall when he had last had the watch and he was a bit reluctant to confess, but eventually he notified headquarters that he had been robbed.

For fear that the story would be made public that a policeman had been robbed on duty the affair was kept a dead secret by the officials and after the number and make of the missing watch had been obtained the reports made by the pawnbrokers were carefully scanned in the hope that it would either be sold or hocked.

Nothing came of it and at last the officer gave it up for lost and was arranging to purchase a new one. In the meantime his family was sympathizing deeply with him and everybody about the house had some suggestion as to what might have become of the watch and the best way to recover it.

Christmas morning the officer got a new watch in a fine gold case and he was highly delighted. Then he smelled a mouse. He looked at the dial and he looked at the number and found they corresponded with his lost watch. Then the secret was revealed. As he slept his daughter had taken his watch, had the works removed from an old silver case and placed in a new gold one and presented it to him as a gift from Santa Claus.

WE HAVE WITH US TODAY MR. TYRUS RAYMOND COBB

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tinel today he said; "I like the idea of being on the stage and if I am fortunate enough to get engagements I may continue to play short engagements every winter as long as the public wants to see me act.

"One night stands are not pleasant, but that is just one of the many little things that go with every kind of work, and I'm getting used to that now and I don't mind it as much as I did when I first took up the business."

"Will the footlights hurt my batting eye?" he repeated when he was asked the question. "Oh, I don't think so. If I did I would get off the stage. You know 300 dbatting eyes are pretty valuable property."

WISHES BONI SUCCESS.

Former Wife of Count Wants Vatican to Annul Marriage.

Rome, Dec. 26.—Count Boni de Castellane, the former husband of the present Duchess of Talleyrand and Sagan, whose maiden name was Anna Gould, being now in Rome to urge the granting by the vatican of the annulment of his marriage, the Duchess of Talleyrand has expressed her desire to make public the following statement from Rome:

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CAPTAIN AND 15 OF CREW DROWNED

British Steamer Founders in Bay of Biscay—Seven Rescued.

SPANISH SHIP IS LOST

Glasgow, Scotland, Dec. 26.—The British steamer Guillemot from London for Genoa foundered in the Bay of Biscay on December 21. The captain and fifteen of her crew were lost. Seven survivors were picked up by the British steamer Lincairn and landed here today.

Immediately after rescuing the survivors of the Guillemot the Lincairn sighted a Spanish steamer whose name she could not discover in distress. Before the Lincairn was able to proceed to her assistance the Spanish vessel foundered with all hands.

MAN INJURED AS ELEVATOR FALLS

Archie Shinn in Hospital as Result of Mishap at Fox Bros.

CAGE GRAZED FACE

Archie Shinn, 27 years old, residing on East Pontiac street and in charge of the stove department at the store of Fox Brothers & Co., is at St. Joseph's hospital as the result of an accident at the store at 11:30 o'clock today, when an elevator fell, the cage grazing Mr. Shinn's face. He is not seriously hurt, but had an extremely narrow escape from severe injury.

Mr. Shinn was engaged in making some repairs to the rear elevator when the car dropped, the cage catching him on the side of the face as it fell, lacerating his face and knocking him to the floor. It was at first feared the man had been badly hurt and physicians were at once summoned and he was hurried to the hospital.

Dr. S. D. Stedd, who attended Shinn, said later that his injuries are of a most painful character. They include many cuts and lacerations upon the face, scalp and one ear, and he will be confined to the hospital for some days.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Johnson and daughter, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kelker.

Fred Kitselman, of Muncie, is to be here for the Eta Alpha dance tomorrow evening and at noon Miss Corinne Leedy, of Lakeside, will entertain a few friends at luncheon in his honor.

ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Ladies of the Maccabees Choose New Official Roster.

Kekionga hive, No. 83, Ladies of the Maccabees, have elected the following officers for the coming year: Past commander, Eliza Bowen; commander, Adaline Miller; lieutenant commander, Nydia Sharp; record keeper, Gertrude Roeger; finance auditor, Anna Cull; chaplain, Lillian McManigal; lady-at-arms, Bertha Kreckman; sergeant, Alice Greany; sentinel, Agnes Keller; picket, Clara Kleint; official promoter, Elizabeth Winget; musician, Pearl Gebert; captain of guards, Anna Cull; color-bearers, Ida Harris and Evelyn Mills.

The hive will give a pedro party Thursday evening at Star hall on Calhoun street.

AUDITOR WILL MOVE.

Another Traction Department Ready for New Quarters.

Auditor Harry E. Yordermark, of the traction company, is preparing to remove his department to the temporary quarters in a building on the new station grounds on West Main street. The transfer will be made Wednesday or Thursday.

HOLD OUT NO HOPE.

Telegrams from Waycross, Ga., today say that the condition of Mrs. George Geake is extremely critical, and that physicians are able to hold out but slender hope for her recovery. Mrs. Geake, who was formerly Miss Douglas Metzgar, was taken ill but a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Nolan and Miss N. Schnekman spent Christmas at the Baxter home in New Haven.

Fred Steiss, who was operated on for the second time on account of appendicitis, is again at home with his family.

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JOSEPH PFLEIGER.

Mr. Pfleiger, a resident of Fort Wayne over fifty years, was the oldest expressman in the city and was a familiar figure in the down-town streets. His funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon from the residence, 1808 Mary street, under the auspices of the Odd Fellows.

VIOLET WAS A ROMANTIC MISS

Police Have New Clues to Use in Search for Missing Girl.

GONE SINCE NOV. 25

Chicago, Dec. 26.—With the discovery by the police that Violet Buehler, missing since Nov. 25, had not only one, but several romances, the line of search was expected to change today.

Inspector Hunt claimed to have reliable information that Violet was given a diamond ring by a police lieutenant.

It was reported last night that the girl was in Chicago and that she would be at home today. The story apparently was not reliable, however, and the police today planned to continue their search for her.

NO SERIOUS INJURIES.

Trolley Car Plunges From Bridge—Thirty Passengers Are Lucky.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 26.—None of the persons who were on the trolley car which left the rails on a bridge spanning the Schuylkill river, a mile below Pottsville, last night and plunged into the bed of the stream is seriously injured.

There were about thirty passengers aboard and although all were hurled into a heap in the front end of the car which was left in a vertical position, the worst injuries sustained were fractured arms by two or three of the passengers. The car fell about fifteen feet, the rear truck resting at the top of the bank.

TRIAL ON JANUARY 15.

Richeson Improves—Must Answer Murder Charge.

Boston, Dec. 26.—That the state is in earnest in its intention to try Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson on January 15 for the murder of his former sweetheart, Avis Linnell, was shown today when summonses were issued for 300 citizens of Suffolk county to serve on the special jury panel. It was stated today that Richeson's recovery from his self-inflicted wounds continued satisfactorily and that he was allowed to walk about his cell during the forenoon.

LABOR BUYS PAPER.

Union Men Will Manage Harrisburg, Ill., Publication.

Harrisburg, Ill., Dec. 26. Organized labor of Saline county has bought the Harrisburg Chronicle. The paper will be operated by the Harrisburg trades and labor assembly. Each union laborer will be assessed $1 to help pay the $6,000 necessary to obtain possession of the publication. The purchase of the paper is said to have grown out of the opposition to the 1910 coal strike.

OVERALL THROUGH WITH GAME.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 26.—Orval Overall, former Chicago Cub pitcher who came here today to have his pitching arm treated by "Doc Setter" Reese, announces that he is through with major ball. Overall says he will confine himself to his mining business with occasional independent ball, on his return to California next week. Overall is the guest of James McAleer of the Boston Red Socks, while here.

MURDERER CONFESSES.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 26.—John Henry Martin surrendered to the police here today declaring that he murdered William Mickle, an old store keeper in Washington, November 17 last, the motive being robbery. Martin, now a nervous wreck, said that memory of his deed and the thought that an innocent person might suffer for it drove him to confess to a priest. It was on the advice of the priest that Martin surrendered himself.

BEEF BARONS REVIVE OLD IMMUNITY PLEA

(Continued from Page One.)

Revives Famous Immunity Plea.

When the trial was resumed Attorney John S. Miller in behalf of the packers, created a surprise by reviving the famous immunity plea successfully used by the packers several years ago when they were prosecuted by the government. Attorney Miller moved that all testimony in the present case relating to transactions prior to July 1, 1905, be excluded as incompetent.

Counsel contended that the immunity plea applied to all of the ten defendants who testified before the Garfield investigation committee.

"Substantially our objections were stated in our plea in abatement before the opening of this trial," said Attorney Miller. "All of these defendants gave testimony before the Garfield commission in 1905 and on the immunity plea seven of these defendants are acquitted.

"Tilden, Heyman and Fowler were not indicted at that time and that is why this plea of immunity was not put forward in their favor. We now make the point in their favor as well as in behalf of the other seven."

Counsel for the government contested the motion on the ground that the court had already passed on the question in ruling against the plea in abatement.

Judge Carpenter reserved decision on the motion and directed the government to proceed with its case.

Veeder First Witness.

Albert H. Veeder, attorney for Swift & Co., was the first witness.

Mr. Veeder said he had been identified with the packing industry since 1874. He came to Chicago in 1880 and four years later became attorney for the late Gustavus F. Swift.

"What was the business of your son, Henry Veeder, in 1900?" asked Attorney Pierce of counsel for the government.

"He was acting as secretary of some sort of an association that had offices on the sixth floor of the Counselman building in this city," replied Mr. Veeder. "My offices were on the fourth floor of the same building. Later I rented rooms adjoining the offices of the association on the sixth floor. There was no name on the door of the association rooms and the meetings were held in a back room."

"What was the name of that association?" asked Attorney Butler.

"I don't think I ever heard the name," replied the witness.

SEES SON KILL HIS BROTHER.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 26.—As their mother looked on two brothers fought till one of them dropped dead at Wheat, Roane county today. After the tragedy Jacob Hembree surrendered. He said his brother, Hess, abused his mother by violent language. Jacob upbraided his kinsman, who it is declared, resented the talk by drawing a knife. Before the mother could step between the two men Jacob fired. His brother dropped dead.

AMENDS CANAL ZONE RULES.

President Sanctions Use of Christian Science in Panama.

Washington, Dec. 26. President Taft, who makes the laws for the Panama canal zone, today amended a recent executive order regarding the practice of medicine in the zone so as to sanction explicitly the use of Christian Science and other non-medicinal methods.

NEGRO KILLS BROTHERS.

Cairo, Ill., Dec. 26.—Lewis and Frank Ramsey, white, and brothers, were shot and killed near Fulton, Ky., last night by Result Barfield, a negro, who later was captured by the sheriff. The sheriff took the negro into the woods when he heard that a mob was forming and caught a train for Paducah, were Barfield was put in the McCracken county jail.

INCREASE OF 75 MILLIONS

Sherwood Pension Bill Will Mean Great Annual Expenditure.

TAFT MAY VETO IT

Washington, Dec. 26.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher informed President Taft today that final adoption of the Sherwood dollar a day pension bill as it passed the house would increase the government's annual pension expenditures at least $75,000,000. Pension commissioner Davenport will send a detailed report to congress. Mr. Taft has refrained from stating definitely that he would veto the Sherwood bill if it came to him, but close friends believe that he would.

THE DEATHS.

HARTMAN.

Joseph Hartman, aged 38 years, of 1319 East Lewis street, died this noon at 12:15 o'clock at St. Joseph's hospital, where he was taken Monday. Death was due to double pneumonia. Mr. Hartman is a carpenter and contractor by trade, and last Thursday morning was at work as usual. He became ill shortly before noon and was compelled to go home.

The deceased was a devout member of St. Mary's Catholic church and of the Married Men's sodality and the Sacred Heart league. He is survived by a widow and two children, Walter and Louise, and the following brothers and sisters: Jacob, George, Katherine, Carrie, Virginia Hartman, all of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Mary Mills, of Niles, and John Hartman, of Soest, and his mother, Mrs. Caroline Hartman, of this city.

MERKEL.

Word has been received of the death of E. E. Merkel, a former resident of Fort Wayne, which occurred at Peru, Ind. Funeral services were held at Peru this morning and the body will be brought to Fort Wayne for interment, arriving here at 9:47 o'clock Wednesday morning. The funeral cortege will proceed direct to Lindewood cemetery, where the interment will take place.

The deceased had been in the employ of the Wabash railroad for many years and during his residence in Fort Wayne made many friends here. He is survived by a widow and two children, Donald, aged 12, and Norma, aged 15. The latter is seriously ill, having recently undergone an operation, ad will be unable to attend the funeral.

LAWLOR.

John Lawlor, aged 70 years, died very suddenly Monday afternoon at the McConnell boarding house, corner of Walton avenue and the Pennsylvania tracks. Coroner Kesler was summoned and pronounced death due to apoplexy. Mr. Lawlor was apparently in the best of health during the day, and it was late in the afternoon when he complained of a feeling akin to suffocation, death following shortly after.

The deceased came to Fort Wayne two years ago from Huntington and had since been employed by the traction company looking after switches and turn-outs. In going through the effects of the dead man Coroner Kesler found a paid up life insurance policy and a receipt for money paid upon the purchase of a burial plot in the Huntington cemetery. The body was removed to the Wellman undertaking parlors pending advice from relatives at Huntington.

MOREHEAD.

Helen Geraldine Morehead, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morehead, died this morning at the family residence, 621 Knitters avenue. Death was due to bowel trouble. The father is employed as a machinist at the Wayne Knitting mills.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Pfleiger.—Funeral services for Joseph Pfleiger will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 1808 Mary street.

The W. R. C. Relief corps will hold flag services at the house at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Trenkley.—Funeral services for Caroline Rosie Trenkley will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 2115 Swinney avenue, thence to St. John's Lutheran church at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. P. Dannecker officiating.

Huge.—Funeral services for Rev. C. F. W. Huge will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 2520 South Wayne avenue, thence to the Emmaus Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Philip Wambsganss officiating. Interment at Concordia cemetery.

Stier.—Funeral services for William A. Stier will be held Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence, 528 East Creighton avenue, thence to St. Peter's Catholic church at 9 o'clock. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

Schmidt.—Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Schmidt will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 1344 Eliza street, thence to the Concordia Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. A. Lange officiating.

The following sisters and one brother, whose names were omitted in the death notice of Monday, also survive the deceased: Mrs. Henry Koehler, of Fort Wayne; Mrs. George Schaefer, of Yonkers, N. Y.; Mrs. John Sixt and Henry Steimler, of Fort Wayne.

Neuhaus.—Funeral services for Catherine C. Neuhaus will be held Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence, 2118 St. Mary's avenue, thence to the Church of the Precious Blood at 9 o'clock, Rev. C. Hummer officiating.

DYING YEAR SERVICES.

The mid-week services at the Third Presbyterian church Wednesday will be appropriate to the closing year. The topic will be "Time." Miss Lucile Vail will sing.

LA FOLLETTE BOOM IS NOW UNDERWAY

Wisconsin Senator and Followers Invade Ohio.

TO SPIKE TAFT'S GUNS

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 26.—Intending chiefly to swing sentiment to the Ohio progressive republican league supporting the presidential candidacy of Senator Robert LaFollette, the whirlwind campaign of progressive orators in Ohio starts tonight.

Senator Moses E. Clapp, one of the original LaFollette presidential advocates, opens the campaign with an address at Salem. Senator LaFollette will invade President Taft's home state tomorrow, opposing the renomination of Wm. Howard Taft and setting himself up as the logical leader of the party next year. Gifford Pinchot will deliver two addresses in behalf of the progressives and Senator Miles Poindexter one.

TEDDY ON THE FAR OUTSIDE

Roosevelt Announces That He Will Take No Part in New York Politics.

HAS NOT BEEN ASKED

New York, Dec. 26.—Theodore Roosevelt announced this afternoon that he was taking no part in the New York state political situation and "not a single human being" had asked him to lend his influence to the support of any candidate for the republican nomination for governor next year.

"I have not been asked because I'm not in politics and nobody expects me to be in politics," said he. Colonel Roosevelt today had an hour's conference with Darwin P. Jones, jr., president of the Young Republican club of Brooklyn.

AFTER NEGRO'S EMPLOYERS.

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 26.—A court of inquiry into the conspiracy that resulted in the death of two negro children who owned oil lands valued at $250,000 went forward rapidly today. D. C. Allen, the negro accused of having killed the children, Herbert and Castella Sell, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

F. L. Martin and John Coombs, the latter a wealthy oil operator of Bartlesville, are accused of having had a part in the conspiracy against the children. Martin will be placed on trial Thursday, then Coombs will be arraigned.

CITY BREVITIES.

Ed Bulmahn has returned to Trenton, N. J., after spending Christmas with his mother in this city.

Harry Walter came home from Fort Smith, Ark., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr and Mrs. A. R. Walter.

H. J. Keenan left today for Scranton, Pa., to attend the annual meeting of the transfer company in which he is interested there.

Branch No. 57, L. C. B. A., will give a pedro party at its hall on Andrews street tomorrow afternoon.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William M. Davenport, 37, theatrical man, and Haley L. Martin, 23.

Worley M. Reiff, 24, pharmacist, and Grace M. Dufur, 19.

Jno. R. Auer, 27, laborer, and Florence S. Conahan, 23.

James A. Farrell, 30, helper, and Fannie E. Adams, 36.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 26, 1911.—Data for the 24 hours ending at 2:00 p. m. today:

Temperatures at the End of Each Hour.

2:00 p. m.	37	2:00 a. m.	33
3:00 p. m.	36	3:00 a. m.	32
4:00 p. m.	36	4:00 a. m.	33
5:00 p. m.	35	5:00 a. m.	33
6:00 p. m.	36	6:00 a. m.	33
7:00 p. m.	34	7:00 a. m.	33
8:00 p. m.	35	8:00 a. m.	34
9:00 p. m.	34	9:00 a. m.	34
10:00 p. m.	34	10:00 a. m.	35
11:00 p. m.	33	11:00 a. m.	35
Midnight	33	Noon	36
1:00 a. m.	33	1:00 p. m.	37
		2:00 p. m.	38

LOCAL FORECAST.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 26.—Forecast for Fort Wayne and vicinity for thirty-six hours ending 7 p. m. Wednesday, December 27: Rain or snow tonight, with much colder by Wednesday morning; Wednesday fair and much colder, with a cold wave. Temperature will fall to 15 degrees by Wednesday night.

GENERAL FORECAST.

Washington, Dec. 26.—Forecast for Indiana: Snow or rain and colder tonight; Wednesday colder and generally fair, with cold wave.

Ohio: Snow or rain and colder tonight; Wednesday local snows and much colder.

Lower Michigan: Snow tonight and Wednesday, probably heavy tonight; colder, with cold wave, by Wednesday night.

Illinois—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday erxcept snow in north portion tonight; much colder; cold wave tonight except in extreme northeast portion.

W. S. PALMER,
Local Forecaster.

Fort Wayne Barber Who Died Suddenly

WILLIAM A. STIER.

Mr. Stier's death occurred suddenly Sunday morning and was due to heart trouble. His lifeless body was found in the home, 528 East Creighton avenue, by members of the family as they returned from church. Mr. Stier was 30 years of age and conducted a barber shop at Gay street and East Creighton avenue.

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A Play of Today in Four Acts.
Founded on DAVID GRAHAM PHILLIPS' Most Celebrated Novel by LOUIS EVAN SHIPMAN.
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WILL BE A BAD YEAR FOR WORLD

Mme. De' Thebes Pictures the Future as Full of Gloom.

DISASTER IS AHEAD

Paris, Dec. 26.—Mme. de Thebes, "the witch of the Etoile quarter," the world's greatese seeress, has issued her forecast for 1912. The famous pythoness to whom nearly every well known man in France has journeyed "to have their fortunes told." predicts that the very "divvil" will be to pay all over the world.

Next year is to be the "black year." nations will be upheaved; a great European war is to be fought; the high cost of living is to go higher; Paris probably will topple into ruins; babies won't have enough milk; Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany will lose his crown, etc.

"You, perhaps, laugh at fortune-tellers," Mlle. Lantelme, the beautiful French actress, felt that way about it, and when Mme. de Thebes told her "to beware of water," she only smiled. Mlle. Lantelme was drowned off her houseboat on the Rhine las summer.

Anywam, Mme. de Thebes' "prophecies" ar strikingly interesting. Even if she be not inspired, the fact remains that wherever she gets her information, however it is that she tears aside the curtains for her peek into the future, she often hits the bull's-eye. If she isn't a real prophetess, she's a corking, good guesser. She says, in part:

"Last year I called 'the twilight year;' next year—as night succeeds tho twilight—will be the 'black year.' But there will be streaks of light. Not a single star will rise over Paris. All will be dark, save now and then vivid streaks of lightning will cut the shadows preceding the resounding booms of thunder.

"Mercury and Mars will dominate the heavens. * * * Men of affairs, diplomats, will try their ordinary affairs, but they will have to leave the last ward to the military; force and cannon will speak when the business men and diplomats get muddled.

Looks Bad for France.

"For France everything points to war, but I believe this will not come before the latter part of the year. Failing of war in 1912, 1913 will be the last year of grace; then it will be inevitable. Between now and then the chances of peace and war are about equal. The cataclysm foreseen is so great, so widespread, that it is dangerous even to speak of it lest it be precipitated. Not only will it turn Europe upside down, but other continents as well, notably Asia. We will be forewarned by a trembling of the earth and we shall know that the end of our troubles is in sight when most of the necessities of life are wanting, especially will milk be scarce.

"A hard winter is ahead, a sullen springtime, a heavy summer and a bitter fall."

Blood and fire will surround France throughout the year, according to the future reader. Brest, Toulon and Paris will be especially cursed. Paris will have epidemics, floods, attempts against the lives of well known people, and "if those men whose intentions are good enough cannot get together, Paris will be in rins."

This is taken to mean that since the government has done little toward deepening the bed of the Seine, the floods Mme. de Thebes foretells, will leave Paris in a sad state.

Alfonso Will Keep His Throne.

There is to be an uprising of some nature or other in Paris, the particular quarters not being indicated by Mme. de Thebes. "There will be," she says, "numerous sudden deaths, as if a volcano suddenly opened. But in the midst of this torment Paris will not interrupt the trend of her daily life. It will continue to have its full share of crimes of passion, its society dramas and singular adventures. * * * I see a famous stage beauty, at a boulevard theater, who will kill herself after she has killed someone."

Spain will have lively doings; there will be plots and complots, but Alfonso will save his crown. The Emperor William of Germany will not be so lucky, it would seem.

"There will across the Rhine no dominating Hohenzollern nor any other Prussian; that is what Berlin will get for her violences and political barbarisms. I have said, and I repeat, that the days of the emperor are numbered and after him all will change in Germany. I speak of his reign, not of his life."

England has a bad destiny in store for her: there are to be deaths and fires. But it is the same everywhere; it will be the "black year."

The United States is no exception to the rule. The present government, it seems, will be knocked down and rolled in the dust of defeat. A new set will take up the reins.

THE LYRIC THEATER

The Lyric has a great show this week, every day is a feature and today and night "She" will be shown. The two reels of "She" are simply jammed with surprises. The whole subject is from the story by H. Rider Haggard, considered one of the best mystery stories ever written.

And the film portrayal is one of the most mystifying ever seen. You will marvel in amazement at the wonderful effects that have been obtained. This wonderful picture will only be shown today and night. There will be three vaudeville acts afternoon and night, and they are good. Wednesday another great picture in two reels, "Before Yorktown," for one day only.

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Always give satisfaction because they always do the work. J. T. Shelnut, Bremen, Ga., says: "I have used Foley Kidney Pills with great satisfaction and found more relief from their use than from any other kidney medicine, and I've tried almost all kinds. I can cheerfully recommend them to all sufferers for kidney and bladder trouble." Foley Kidney Pills will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Dreier Drug Co.

NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

THE MARVELOUS GRIFFITH DIES

Lightning Calculator of Milford, Found Dead in Springfield, Mass., Hotel.

Milford, Ind., Dec. 26.—Arthur F. Griffith, of this place, known throughout the country as "The Marvelous Griffith," the most expert rapid calculator and mathematical wonder of the world, has departed this life. His parents received a message yesterday forenoon which stated that the young man had died of apoplexy in a Springfield, Mass., hotel early Christmas morning.

Arthur Griffith was born at Milford thirty-one years ago. When a small lad he was quite like the other youngsters of his age, but when he started to school it was soon seen that he had a remarkable brain for figures. At an early age he astounded his teachers with his brilliant calculating. Young Griffith was rather backward in his other studies. He stopped school when he had reached the seventh grade and devoted his entire attention to figuring out difficult problems. Several of the country's leading mathematicians learned of the remarkable man and induced him to appear before the college professors of various universities. Griffith had some of the most learned instructors baffled with his work. He attributed his ability in his special line to his study on the subject, but all of the scientific men were of the opinion that he was simply a mathematical genius.

For the past few years young Griffith had been appearing on the vaudeville stage in this country. He was billed to entertain a Springfield audience last evening.

TWO DROWNINGS.

Tragedies Mark Holiday at South Bend.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 26.—Two deaths by drowning marked Christmas in this city. The body of Chester McDonough, 30, was found face down in a shallow creek. While crossing a small span over the stream late Saturday night, McDonoughm is supposed to have missed his footing and clutched the rail to save himself. He fell eighteen feet, striking his head on the stone abutment. It is believed he was rendered unconscious and was thus unable to rise from the creek.

The police recovered the body of Frank La Ruche from a mill race. Despondent because of the recent loss of his wife, La Ruche committed suicide. Passersby, hearing the splash of the falling body, notified the police, leading to the recovery of the body.

CHRISTMAS MARRIAGE.

Angola, Ind., Dec. 26.—At high noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, occurred the marriage of Miss Theda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. McCool, and Mr. William G. Troyer, of Butler, Ind. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Humfreys, pastor of the Congregational church of this city. The happy young people will begin housekeeping in Butler, Ind., and will have the best wishes of a host of admiring friends for their happiness and future success. Mr. and Mrs. Troyer left on the first train for their future home.

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AVILLA NEWS.

Avilla, Ind., Dec. 26.—Rev. McClure and wife are spending the holidays at Wabash.

Miss Clara DeCamp is home from Goshen to spend the holidays with her parents here.

Mrs. Maurice Renkenberger is the guest of her son Marion, at Logansport this week.

Carl Hudson and Miss Myrtle Nolan, of Elkhart, are guests of Mrs. Mary Hudson and family.

The ladies of the M. E. church donated a lot of edibles and other good things to their minister, Rev. Lamport, and wife at the parsonage Saturday evening.

Paul Bauman and Frank Lockhart were at Kendallville Sunday evening.

Fred Wolf and Mable Raugh attended the Christmas entertainment at the German Lutheran church at Kendallville Sunday evening.

Lucile Fairbanks, of Kendallville visited Mrs. Dave Shanaline Saturday.

Earl Shanaline and family are here from Turon, Kansas.

Miss Ednah Randall is home from South Bend to spend the holidays with her parents, S. K. Randall and wife.

Mrs. George Campbell and son, Frank, were at Garrett for Christmas.

Paul Bauman, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of his parents here.

In the guessing contest at Krauer's store on the large stick of candy Eph Krieger was the winner and can eat candy the rest of the year.

Miss Vera Krauer is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Eva Lewis, and her brother, Claude, at Chicago Junction.

James Isabel and wife, of Syracuse, are the guests of his mother Mrs. Sarah Isabell here.

Wallace Dolan, of Chicago, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Nora Dolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reams and baby are at Cassapolis, Mich., for the holidays.

Ra Stewart, of Chicago, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stewart.

Marion Eley and family ate Christmas dinner at Garrett.

Jonathan Shuttleworth was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. William Price, at Auburn Monday.

The following officers were elected at Avilla Court, No. 40, Tribe of Ben Hur, Friday evening: Past chief, Mrs. Ocie M. Lockhart; chief, Miss Otto Long; judge, James Miller; scribe, S. P. Stewart; K. of T., J. N. DeCamp; captain, J. R. Lockhart; guide, Stella Hooper; teacher, Bessie Stewart; I. G., Ed Kinney; O. G., Jay Hersh; M. of C., R. E. Offord; R. J., W. P. Allman; B. H., Everett Broughton; M. H., Justa Stanley.

Ray Carver and family, of Defiance, and Miss Mary Jensimer, of Garrett, are the Christmas guests of W. D. Carver and Mrs. M. E. Carver.

John Clark and Welcome Krieger spent Sunday with friends in Kendallville.

The Avilla High School basketball team goes to Rome City Friday evening to play ball.

Mrs. Bessie Adams and sons visited Kendallville friends Sunday.

Mrs. Amy Fitzsimmons, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Pfleightner.

Adam Hess and family, of Kendallville, Ed McKee and family, of Swan; Gerry DeHoff and others were the guests of Sol Baum and wife Sunday.

Miss Margie Kinney was the guest of Garrett friends Monday.

Frank Butz, of Kendallville, was the guest of Mrs. Maude Humphry Sunday.

Clyde Halferty and wife, of Garrett, and Verne Halferty and wife of Vicksburg, Mich., were the guests of their parents, Charles Halferty over Christmas.

Chris Kemph is entertaining his father from Ohio.

Miss Clara Gray from Ohio is a guest at the Smith home west of town and took a prominent part in the Xmas entertainment at Summit Saturday evening.

The Christmas entertainment at the different churches in town was a success.

H. A. Moore has purchased the old Pelper building on Albion street.

Max, Gladys and Burt Henney, of Albion, are the guests of Jeriel Henney and family.

Glenn Thrapf is home from Valparaiso.

Lotta Veazey was at Fort Wayne Friday.

Mrs. Ida Kramer was shopping in Fort Wayne Thursday.

Frank Ueber is home from Chicago to spend the holidays with his mother Mrs. Thomas Ueber and family.

Dave Walburn, of Green township, was to Fort Wayne Saturday, shopping.

Glenn Hines, of Jefferson township, was in Avilla Saturday.

Frank Fisher has purchased the building of H. A. Moore, formerly owned by McDougle, for a meat market.

Tadasco Inomata, a Purdue student, is the guest of Merle DeCamp and Harry Hass, also Purdue students, at their home in town.

Gus Roos was the guest of John Roos and family at Fort Wayne Sunday.

Dr. Coyner, of Kendallville, and Mr. and Mrs. John Hooper ate dinner at the Randall home Monday.

ANTWERP NEWS.

Antwerp, O., Dec. 26.—Stephen Cromley and wife, of Hicksville, Victor Cromley, wife and daughter Valera, of Fort Wayne, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cromley, at this place Sunday.

Frank Hannon, of Woodburn, visited over Sunday at this place, the guest of friends.

Abe Benard and wife, of Sherwood, are visiting here the guests of her brother, J. D. Smith and family.

John Derck and family, went to Fort Wayne, Monday, where they spent the day with relatives.

Lowell Ketrow, of Cavett, O., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ketrow, at this place over Christmas.

J. F. Hewett, wife and the children, went to Fort Wayne Saturday, to spend the holidays, being the guests of relatives while there.

Nort Reeb, who is attending a veterinary college at Indianapolis, came home Sunday to remain until after the holidays.

W. P. Fields and wife were Fort Wayne visitors Saturday, where they went to do shopping.

Othal Harmon, of the Harmon Tile works at this place, made a business visit to the Summit city, Saturday.

David Loehler, of Woodburn, has patented a display cabinet in which to display laces, that has proved quite popular in the short time it has been placed on the market, the sales being away ahead of production. The cabinet is made in Woodburn and will be marketed from there. A larger factory will be built soon.

Mr. Orley Duval, wife and son, accompanied by Dwight Lynde, left Monday morning for Pasadena, Cal., where they will enjoy the invigorating air and the sparkle, pleasure and zest of life to be found in a winter spent in the "Golden West."

EIGHT O'CLOCK WEDDING.

Columbia City, Ind., Dec. 26.—Promptly at 8 o'clock last evening one of the most popular young ladies of this society was united in matrimony to the man of her choice. Miss Martha Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter, became the wife of Charles Morrow, a young lawyer of Tampa, Florida. The young people left for their new home in the south directly after the ceremony.

Special sale on Calendars. Jones, 112 W. Wayne. 26eod-4t

MONROEVILLE NEWS.

Monroeville, Ind., Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Lower, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Buskirk and son, of Lima, O., visited with relatives over Sunday.

Miss Velma Burke, of Wapakoneta, O., is a guest at the O. L. Friedline home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Southworth, of South Bend, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lewis.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Rehl and daughter, German, were at Fort Wayne Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Rehl.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunten, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Friedline.

Wm. Neishivitz, of West Cario, O., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. S. Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murchland, of Newark, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Murchland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beavers and daughter Gladys, of Boswell, Ind., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jones.

Jack Meese and family, of Angola, Ind., are spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Sturgis, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Geyer, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller.

S. J. Montgomery spent Christmas with relatives at Grover Hill, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marlin, of Fort Wayne, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank David.

Lee Griffith, of Mishawauka, is spending the week with relatives.

Miss Bessie Geyer, of Paulding, O., is at home for the holiday vacation.

Hugh Crabill is home from Gary for the holidays.

Miss Rena Battenburg, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Battenburg.

Florence Closs, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Close.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wyer, of Huntington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wyer and family Monday.

Mr. F. D. Walter visited relatives at Ney, O., Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eick, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Papenbrook over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Finan and daughter Mary Jane, of Chicago, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finan.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Miller and children Helen and Pauline, of Peru, Ind., and Mrs. James Miller, of Churubusco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Miller over Sunday.

The Christmas entertainment at the M. E. church was well attended and the program was well rendered. The music by the orchestra and chorus was a pleasant feature. The classes received their annual treat and Santa Claus was very much in evidence. An unusually fine program was rendered at the Lutheran church also.

Mrs. J. F. Neizer was hostess for the Friendly Few Pedro club Friday evening. Mrs. H. E. Steinman won first prize and Mrs. G. E. Spake second. Mrs. Neizer served dainty refreshments. Next Friday evening Mrs. C. W. Weirman, president of the club, will be hostess for the club on which occasion the ladies will entertain their husbands and a most enjoyable time is anticipated.

The temperance mass meeting is to be held at Flat Rock Lutheran church New Year's eve instead of New Year's night at Clarks chapel as stated in the Monroeville Breeze of last week's issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Erwin, of Constantine, Mich., who are visiting here went to Edgerton today to visit Dr. and Mrs. Harry Erwin.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND "CURES IN EVERY CASE."

Mr. Jas. McCaffery, Mgr. of the Schlitz hotel, Omaha, Neb., recommends Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, because it cures in every case. "I have used it myself and I have recommended it to many others who have since told me of its great curative power in diseases of the throat and lungs." Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable family medicine. Give it to your children, and take it yourself when you feel a cold coming on. It checks and cures coughs, colds and croup and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Dreier Drug Co.

GERMAN SOCIETY ELECTS.

The annual election of the Deutscher Landwehr-Verein held Monday afternoon at Strodel's hall resulted as follows: President, Herman Glocke; vice president, Ernst Wesche; corresponding secretary, Paul Wutzler; financial secretary, Oswald Schonberr; treasurer, Max Albaugh; trustee, Karl Fry; flag bearer, Gilbert Bollhauve.

MISSOURI MISS A WONDER.

Acts as Mayor, City Attorney, Police Judge, City Clerk and Secretary.

Maplewood, Mo., Dec. 26.—For more than a week Miss Maud Guibor, daughter of Mayor F. E. Guibor, has acted officially in all the municipal departments of this suburb of St. Louis. In the absence or illness of the regular officials, she has performed the duties of mayor, city attorney, police judge, city clerk, secretary of the council and in addition has been receiving the calls for the city marshal.

At the close of the recent election she acted as a board of one to receive the returns. During the present week the city officials are taking possession of a new city hall, and Miss Guibor cheerfully assumed the supervision of the moving, in addition to all her other routine work.

"I like it," she said. "There's no reason why a woman should not hold office sou why a woman should not hold office, is there?"

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Women's Suits, Coats, Waists and Furs

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Women's fashionable apparel will be offered regardless of cost or former selling price. Every garment is priced at what in our judgment it will bring. You cannot realize how great the values are unless you see the goods.

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Stylish suits in serges, cheviots and fancy mixtures, values up to $25.00, all in one lot; pick them out for **$8.89 Each**

Stylish suits in serges, cheviots and fancy mixtures, values up to $60.00 in this lot; take your choice for **$18.75 Each**

CLOTH SUITS

Longcloth coats in black kerseys, blue and black serges and fancy cloths, values up to $18.50; buy them now at **$11.95**

Full length coats in broadcloths, serges, mixtures and double-faced cloths, values up to $35.00; out they go at **$19.75 Each**

Sealette plush coats, fashioned like a fur coat and just as warm, values up to $30.00; now **$15.00 Each**

SEPARATE SKIRTS

The season's best styles in serges and fancy mixtures, values up to $6.00; buy them now at **$4.89 Each**

Stylish skirts in voiles, serges and fancy mixtures, values up to $12.50; now **$7.75 Each**

Taffeta silk petticoats in all the desirable shades, splendid $5.00 values; now **$3.79 Each**

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$50.00 Pony Coats; now...$30.00
$80.00 Pony Coats; now...$60.00
$100.00 Pony Coats; now.....$75.00
$137.50 Pony Coats; now.....$100.00
$80.00 Marmot Coats; now.....$60.00
$100.00 Caracul Coats; now.....$72.50
$140.00 Caracul Coats; now.....$100.00

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Visit the Anthony.

Avoid trifling conversation. Remember go, if not, send.—Franklin.

Gibson E. Sisco, recently appointed assistant engineer of motive power of the Pennsylvania Southwest system, with headquarters in Columbus, O., will be here the latter part of the week to make a short visit with Prof. and Mrs. J. N. Study, where Mrs. Sisco has been visiting for some time.

The master's eyes will do more work than his hands.—Franklin.

MAKE YOUR WIFE HAPPY, BUY HER A VACUUM CLEANER

The Premier Suction Sweeper is a thoroughly efficient electric carpet cleaning machine, made to get the most dirt in the least time with the least effort. The Premier is the only substitute for the broom and carpet sweeper that will be consistently used in the home.

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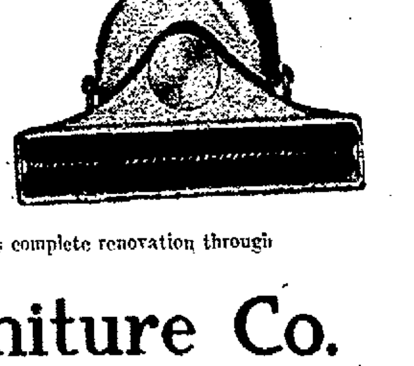

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OUR TELEPHONES.

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TUESDAY, DEC. 26, 1911.

TONIGHT.

Amusements — Ty Cobb in "The College Widow" at the Majestic; Vaudeville at Temple Theater; Motion Pictures at Lyric, Colonial, Pearl, Fairy, Gaiety, Star, Casino and Hippodrome.

Unions — Steam Engineers; Plasterers.

Miscellaneous — City Council; Fort Wayne Medical Society.

Fraternities — Grand Fraternity; Order of Red Cross; Wayne Tent, K. O. T. M.; Deborah, D. of R.; Princes of Jerusalem; Modern Woodmen; Court of Honor; Fort Wayne Homestead, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; Degree of Honor, No. 2; B. O. B., Herd 20; Order of Foresters; Knights and Ladies of Honor.

SOME POLITICS THIS WEEK.

The developments of the present week will throw much light on the political outlook in both major political parties in Indiana. Each has its vexations and problems, though the democratic situation is much the clearer of the two. The republicans have several ugly breaches to mend and there is no saying just now whether they will be repaired or widened. That seems to depend largely on the strength and the attitude of the present organization and the designs which former Senator Beveridge may have for the coming campaign. It is to be a fight for control of the state in the next republican national convention, and that is to say a fight to determine whether or not President Taft is to have Indiana's support for renomination. Chairman Lee's fulmination at Washington a couple of weeks ago to the effect that Mr. Taft cannot possibly be reelected has stirred up a mad buzzing of hornets and if the shouting and the tumult be any criterion he will go down and out when the work of reorganization is taken up. The reorganizers want to shelve him, anyway, and his frank hostility to Taft affords a choice pretext and adds strength to the purpose. There is much insurgency in this state, but the bulk of the party has strong predilections for regularity and there is not likely to be a very formidable show against the renomination of Mr. Taft. The democratic situation presents a mild renewal of the contest of two years ago by Governor Marshall to keep the democratic organization out of the hands of the old crowd. It is not nearly so serious a contest as it has been represented and the democracy of the state is not likely to cease its loyal support of the governor.

Gen. Bernardo Reyes, who has spent some months attempting to foment another revolution in Mexico, has surrendered to the federal military. He confesses himself defeated in his plans for another uprising and says his dream of a new government with himself at the head is dispelled. The people wanted little of him and his plot for more warfare and bloodshed. The one-time military hero of the Mexican people now promises to be good and seek no further to breed disturbance. It is to be hoped he may keep the parole he has given for his conduct. General Reyes is a man of force of character and eminent talents. In the work of regenerating his long unhappy country he has it in his power under the new regime to be of vast use. Now, as never before, Mexico needs the services of her strong men and Reyes is one of them.

President Taft has declined to grant an immediate pardon to Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker and trust magnate now serving a sentence in the federal prison at Atlanta for violation of the United States banking laws. It has been persistently represented that Morse must have immediate and unconditional release or his life will be the price. He has been temporarily removed from the prison to a military hospital. Powerful influences appear to be at work in his behalf, and it doubtless puts the president under no little restraint to deny freedom to the once great financier who had things much his own way in New York.

The Maryland mob that broke into a jail and hacked a colored murderer to pieces with hatchets did not improve much on civilized methods of applying lynch law. It may have had the merit of novelty as compared with burning at the stake, but it sprung from the same aboriginal source. It was about as brutal and savage a piece of business as has lately been perpetrated in an effort to show "the nigger" that he is not good enough for the processes of the white man's law. If the Maryland authorities are able to emulate the example recently set in some other states and bring the lynchers to justice the people of that commonwealth may feel that some of the shame has been wiped out.

So far as all observation could go an air-tight lid was fitted to the saloons in this city on Christmas and it was the first time in many years that this holiday has witnessed the closing of barroom doors. The saloonkeepers were not acting under orders or warnings from the police department; they acquiesced in the mandate of the law. It has been amply proved that no shadow of necessity can be argued for wholesale violation of the law on holidays. Many a wife can tell what she thinks of it.

Governor Marshall will not attend the democratic banquet in Washington next week, though it had been announced he would be present and with other possible democratic presidential nominees would speak. He is said to still have the same repugnance to touting himself for the nomination he has always felt. And it is not a bad quality by any means.

The savagery of the Russians who have invaded Persia may be somewhat exaggerated, but that is not likely. There is doubtless enough of truth in the accounts from Tabriz to add to the long-sustained reputation of the czar's soldiery for wanton brutality and atrociousness.

If you gave yourself occasion this year to resolve that you would buy 'em early next year, don't take comfort too long in the thought that it's a long way to Christmas.

Of course there is the next day after too much turkey and mincepie and sweetmeats. And that probably is the way you feel about it today.

THE DISMAL PROPHETS.

(Buffalo News.)

The gooseberry prophet is already damaged in his business for he began predicting last summer a terrible fall and a frightful winter. Although there is time enough to have a cold winter, yet we cannot have any such winter as the weather-wise forecasted from the gooseberry and various other of those signs which to themselves are infallible.

But the other kind of a prophet is coming to the front, the kind who knows all about what is going to happen in the next twelve months, and, as usual, nothing but gloom and sorrow is the vein they have. It is not only going to be a year that shall see more or less calamity—that is common in every year—but it is to be a year of extraordinary disaster, all the piling up of all the horrors that the lopsided minds of such persons can think up.

Fortunately, the modern man is getting away from the superstitions that used to involve all society. One need only to dip into the history of any age more than a hundred years back to find almost every one affected with the sense of evil to come and of fear, that was found baseless in the outcome. It is one of the mysteries of the human mind that people who are firm in their belief in God are still given to every sort of silly superstition touching numbers, days, moons and so on.

The Apostle Paul himself took pains to denounce all such foolishness as heathen; which it is, and any one who cares to take the trouble now to look back over the predictions made within a year by professed soothsayers and sees how very wide of the mark they are, can readily understand that no one, no matter what his claim, has any real vision of things to come.

THE CITIZEN AND THE NEW RULE.

The New York Evening Post regards the defeat of commission government in Vancouver and Olympia recently as "lending emphasis to the evident suspension of judgment that followed the first outburst of enthusiasm over the new system."

It is more probable that it lends emphasis to the fact that unless the people are sufficiently interested in good government to attend the polls the politicians will be able to muster sufficient strength to defeat the new rule. That has been the experience of a large number of cities in their first attempt to obtain commission government.

It is difficult to create sufficient interest in municipal government to educate the voters as to the distinction between the new rule and the old. The people have become so accustomed, under the old system, to allow the professional politicians to run the city that nothing but a fight between individual candidates for office will arouse them to active interest in municipal elections.

The dominant feature of commission government, as it affects public sentiment, is to create a new civic spirit and arouse a deep interest in the government itself and the method of its conduct.

In a large number of the cities now operating under the new rule two elections were necessary to obtain it, because of the failure of the citizens to take enough interest at the first election to attend the polls and vote. It is not unlikely that Vancouver and Olympia have had precisely that experience.

THE PRESS ON THE DURBAR.

"Well Planned Play."

Richmond Times-Dispatch: "King George is making a dramatic and well planned play to arouse loyalty of India by the great ceremonial Durbar."

"Misery and Starving People."

Watertown Times: "The glory of the royal spectacle comes in sharp contrast with the misery of starving people."

Shipwreck and Fires.

New York Press: "The grounding of a British ship carrying materials and gifts for the durbar may be a coincidence, as these fires at the durbar camp also may be."

Gifts of Plum Puddings.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: "Gifts of Indian princes to King George and Queen Mary at the durbar will reach the total astounding value of $10,000,000. In return for this, their British majesties have taken to India thousands of plum puddings."

NEW TYPE OF HYDRO-AEROPLANE BECOMING POPULAR.

BURGESS WRIGHT HYDRO-AEROPLANE RECENTLY TESTED BY NAVY HOWARD W GILL, HOLDER OF AMERICAN ENDURANCE RECORD DRIVING

The recent spread in the use of the hydro-aeroplane is a feature of aviation that is attracting wide attention. The Burgess-Wright Company is to send one of its passenger carrying hydro-aeroplanes to Los Angeles, where Howard W. Gill, holder of the American endurance record, is in charge of their winter school. Another of these machines will go to one of the Florida winter resorts for the instruction of pupils.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Elmer Morgan, of Chicago, is here to spend his holiday vacation.

A new west end coasting club has been organized for the winter's entertainment.

The Scottish Rite Masons of Northern Indiana held a banquet at the Masonic Temple last night.

Charles D. C. Huestis has a very handsome Christmas tree at his cozy home on West Berry street.

Paul Mossman, who is attending school at Ann Arbor university, is at home to spend the holidays.

The Wheelmen's Social club held a delightful banquet Saturday evening at its club rooms over George Loesch's drug store.

Dr. A. J. Rauch, of Fort Wayne, has located at Haw Patch for the practice of medicine. The doctor, it will be recalled, ran for recorder last fall.

President J. K. McCracken, his private secretary, Seymour Boyd, and Superintendent Alfred Langley arrived here last night to spend the holidays with their families.

Marriage licenses issued: Joshua Barnes and Anna E. Shryock, Albert Farmer and Mary C. Strouse, James A. Strouse and Mary E. Stratton, Jay M. Moderwell and Martha Alice Jones, John C. Ruhl and Alice Albaugh.

Results at the G. A. R. fair: W. A. Schenck drew the $15 toilet set at the Japanese booth. S. A. Morris held the lucky number which drew the umbrella. John Hanna drew the parlor table. The city hospital baby took the $40 baby cab in the contest for the prettiest baby under 18 months of age. The contest for the parlor suite closed in favor of Eugene Newell, and for the conductor's lamp in favor of Conductor Kimmell. The contest for the most popular postman ended in favor of Mr. Schuler. Miss McClure carried off the toilet set, being voted the most popular principal of public schools. Miss Elma Harmon as the prettiest of the "fan drill" girls and Miss Marguerite Hanna as the best looking of the "dairymaids," captured the sealskin cloaks.

NEW YORK AS GOLD CAMP.

Valuable Mineral Bearing Quartz Found Underlying City.

New York, Dec. 26.—Whether New York is in danger of being turned into the most remarkable mining camp in the history of the country is the question which is perplexing legal experts here as the result of the discovery of a quartz vein bearing free gold far below the city streets. For some time it has been known that this city is underlaid by mineral bearing rock andother semi-precious stones have been discovered from time to time.

The deepest excavations heretofore made, however, in the course of providing foundations for the great skyscrapers have not exceeded 125 feet, and the mineral deposits which they have brought to light have not been of sufficient value to make them profitable. Now, however, that work is actively progressing on New York's new water supply system, which will bring the fluid to the city by means of a tunnel which in some places goes as deep as 700 feet below the street level, discoveries are being made which indicate the existence of very valuable ore far below the surface of the metropolis.

While the quartz vein already discovered bearing free gold in considerable quantities is only a small one, there are authorities who believe that it is an offshoot of a larger vein or lode, which if the tunnel happens to tap it may turn the city into a real mine. The geological formation which is now being reached at great depth for the first time is similar to that in which some of the world's largest silver mines have been found. Should this 700-foot deep tunnel tap a great lode of considerable value the litigation which would result over the attempts to locate on it would probably keep the courts busy for years.

TEARS DOWN TROLLEY POLES.

Robison Park Car Puts Line Out of Service in Splitting Switch.

Service on the Robison park line was tied up during the greater part of Christmas day when an in-bound car split a switch near the Bleke farm and tore down the overhead work and six trolley poles. But two passengers were aboard the car, and they escaped injury beyond a shaking up. The car was in charge of Motorman Dillinger and Conductor Yancy.

THE DANGER OF LA GRIPPE

Is its fatal tendency to pneumonia. To cure your la grippe coughs take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. R. E. Fisher, Washington, Kan., says: "I was troubled with a severe attack of la grippe and nothing I used did me any good and I was threatened with pneumonia. A friend advised me to use Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and I got some at once. I was relieved from the very first. By the time I had taken three bottles my la grippe was gone. I believe Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to be the best medicine I ever used and always keep a bottle with me." Dreier Drug Co.

FOR RENT — Modern Calhoun street corner store. Inquire H. A. Wiebke, Hof Brau. 11-21-tu-th-sat-tf

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Kidney Trouble Is Very Deceptive

Few Realize They're Affected Till Danger Point is Reached—Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills Work Wonders—Sample Free!

Kidney disease is much more common than most people imagine. Many sufferers do not know what's ailing them—until the trouble becomes serious. Some trifling affection may run into the dread diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease before one realizes there's anything wrong with his kidneys.

Usually the most noticeable symptoms which first appear are far from the seat of the trouble, and the sufferer mistakes the nature of his ailment. Dull headaches or nervousness, for instance, he never thinks of as signs of diseased kidneys.

Even the aching back and sides, rheumatism, pains or twitching in groins or limbs, sore, inflamed muscles, he may consider indications of some other trouble. Unnaturally colored or cloudy urine, too frequent or too scanty urination, burning sensation, are of course readily recognized as symptoms of such disorders.

Because of the deceptive and dangerous character of these ailments, if you suspect your kidneys are diseased, lose no time in beginning treatment. The best possible remedy for you is Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills. They are quite different from anything else in the market. They act in two ways—cleanse the clogged kidneys of their poisonous impurities, strengthen them so they perform their duties normally, naturally. There's no other way to really cure kidney derangements, resultant bladder troubles and rheumatism—and permanently banish those frightful aches and pains

Get a package of these marvelous Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills at once. 25c and 50c packages. If you want to try them first ask your druggist for a free sample package, or same will be sent direct by Derby Medicine Co., Eaton Rapids, Mich.

The Handy Heater

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The Perfection is the most reliable heater on the market, and you can move it wherever you please.

Start it in bedroom or bathroom, and you dress in comfort on the coldest morning. Take it to the dining-room, and early breakfast becomes a pleasant, cosey meal. A touch of a match at dusk, and all is snug for the evening.

The Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater is beautifully finished—an ornament anywhere. Drums of plain steel or enamelled in blue; nickel trimmings.

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CALL IA BANANA MOUSE.

Queer Specimen is Found in Bunch of the Fruit.

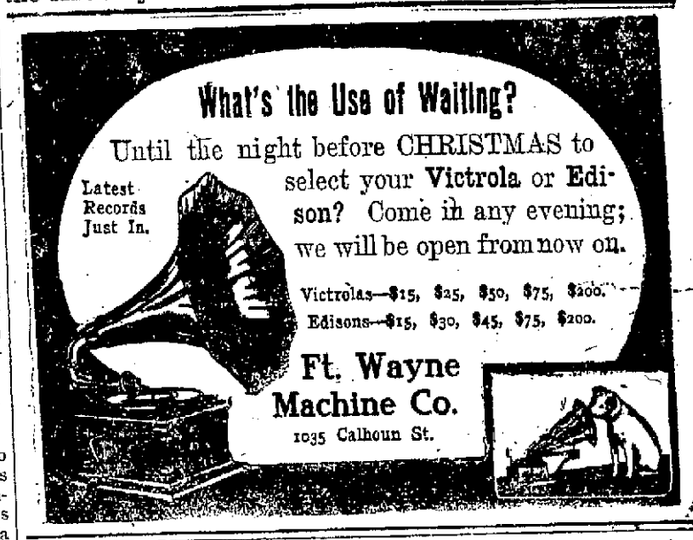
Employes of a Greek fruit store at 1512 Calhoun street, found a queer animal in a bunch of bananas on Monday, which is said to be a banana mouse. The animal resembles a mouse in color, but is three times the size of the ordinary mouse and has a tail nine inches in length, while the toes are provided with sucker-like attachments that enable the animal to climb the side of a glass jar with great rapidity.

Best service in the city at the Anthony cafe.

NOTICE, ODD FELLOWS!

You are requested to meet at Harmony hall Wednesday at 1 p. m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Joe Pfleiger. Fort Wayne lodge No. 14, and Concordia lodge No. 228, also all sojourning brothers are cordially invited.

ARTHUR S. BETZ, N. G.
FRANK CUNNISON, Sec.



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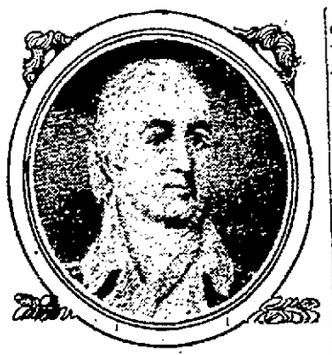
Men Who Helped to Make America

The Aristocrat of the Revolution.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Lord Stirling, one of the noble figures in the early life of the American nation, was born in New York city in 1726. As the heir to the title and estate of an earldom in Scotland he went to his father's country to present his claims, but was not successful in gaining any acknowledgment from the government.

After his father's death, his mother engaged in business with her son's help. She succeeded in obtaining an excellent education for the boy. Mathematics and astronomy were the studies in which he became especially proficient.

It is as a soldier, however, that Lord Stirling achieved his greatest prominence. His military career began in the French and Indian War, when he served ably under General Shirley in the threefold capacity of commissary, aide de camp and secretary.



LORD STIRLING

When the Revolutionary War broke out Lord Stirling's sympathy and influence were on the side of the patriots. He joined the Continental army and was immediately appointed colonel of a regiment stationed in his native city.

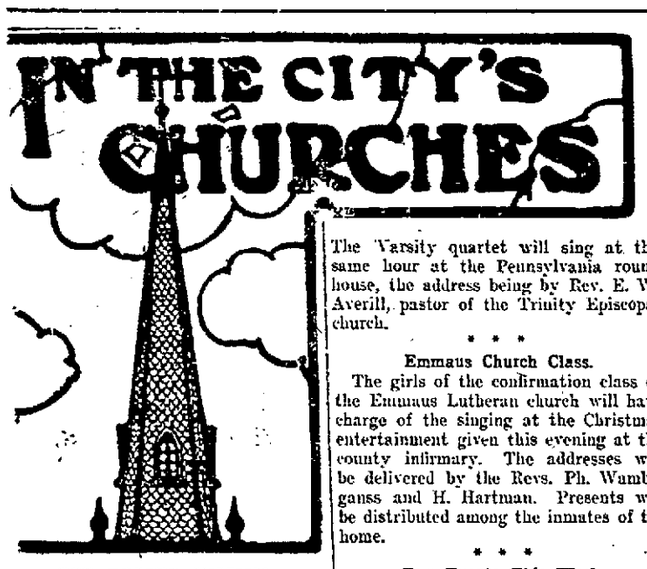
His work in the war was characterized by great daring. His first effort resulted in the bold capture of an English transport lying in the harbor and filled with stores intended for the British forces in Boston.

Soon after he again distinguished himself by his personal bravery at the battle of Long Island, when with his brigade he made a notable attack on Cornwallis, who was on the point of yielding when reinforcements relieved him.

Although Lord Stirling was made a prisoner, he had made his point and aided the patriots in their memorable retreat.

An exchange of prisoners resulted in his freedom and he was a noteworthy figure at Brandywine and Germantown. At Monmouth, too, he distinguished himself.

He died in Albany, January 15, 1783.



THE RESCUE MISSION.

ristmas Entertainment Last Evening a Great Success.

The Christmas entertainment at the scue Home and Mission was a great ccess, the best ever held there. The apel was crowded to the doors by 25, and many people were turned away lack of room. With one exception e entire program was rendered by the ldren of the Mission Sunday school, d their performance was surprisingly cellent. Much credit is due to the chers of the several classes for the cellent way they drilled and trained children. Mrs. Teeple gave a read- appropriate to the occasion, a Christ- s story entitled "Farmer Ketcham d His Wife."

The Mission desires to thank the peo- of Fort Wayne in general for the nerous contributions given for the oration and presents to the children. ery child received some token of re- mbrance, in addition to the boxes of ndy and oranges. The business men l churches were very kind in enabling Mission to make glad the hearts of ldren. Especially happy at the suc- s of the entertainment was J. M. ewart, the superintendent of the Sun- y school. The work of the Mission growing in interest, which is largely to the faithfulness of the willing rkers.

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COLLECTIONS LARGE

ken in Catholic Churches for the Orphanages.

The collections taken in the Catholic urches on Christmas day in this city d throughout the diocese were for the nefit of the orphanages in this city d at Lafayette. They were large, but amount throughout the diocese will be known for a few days yet. The orts are made to Father W. C. Miller, secretary of the bishop. The rectors the churches in this city had not de their reports when called late to- by The Sentinel over the telephone. ose spoken to, however, said the col- tions were especially liberal this year.

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THE COLLEGE GLEE CLUB.

Wesleyan Students Will Come From Hartford City.

e Wesleyan University Glee Club Varsity Quartet, of Delaware, O., h is to give a concert here Wednes- evening at the Wayne Street church, arrive in the city tomorrow from tford City, where they sing tonight, the Lake Erie road at 11 o'clock. 12:30 o'clock the glee club will sing the Pennsylvania machine shops, the ress being by Rev. J. H. McCartney. The Varsity quartet will sing at the same hour at the Pennsylvania round house, the address being by Rev. E. W. Averill, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal church.

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Emmaus Church Class.

The girls of the confirmation class of the Emmaus Lutheran church will have charge of the singing at the Christmas entertainment given this evening at the county infirmary. The addresses will be delivered by the Revs. Ph. Wambsganss and H. Hartman. Presents will be distributed among the inmates of the home.

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Few Events This Week.

But few events of interest in church circles will be occurring for the rest of this week. This is generally the case following the week after Christmas, which this year was preceeded by many church entertainments.

LUXURIANT GROWTH OF HAIR

es Not Follow Neglect of the Scalp.

Aside from combing it when they nk necessary many people give no tention whatever to their hair. Then en the hair begins to fall out it ver occurs to them that their trou- is the result of personal carelessss.

An occasional application of New- o's Herpicide will not only prevent s of hair but permits a luxuriant owth.

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STRODEL ENTERS RACE FOR PLACE

He Opposed Pinniger and Thinks He Ought to Have His Job.

CHANCES ARE GOOD

Unless there is a change of front a new candidate will enter the field for the place in the city council to be vacated tonight by the resignation of Harry Pinniger in the person of Herman Strodel and he has a lot of sentiment behind him that may land the job for him.

In the first place he was the democratic candidate in the Ninth ward when Mr. Pinniger was elected and as he spent some money and made the canvass he may be able to use this in his favor when he presents his name to the body.

A democrat will be elected. That much is practically certain because an old precedent was abolished by the last city council and this eliminates both Mr. Crouse, whom Pinniger wants to have elected, and Mr. Stanger, who is a republican and not a democrat as stated in The Sentinel of yesterday.

No election will be held tonight as the law requires that ten days at least must elapse after a resignation is tendered and accepted, that the new member can not be chosen in the meantime and that a special meeting shall be called. It also specified that not more than fifteen days must be allowed to elapse before the vacancy is filled.

Citizens of Bloomingdale have been asked to meet in the schoolhouse at 7:30 o'clock tonight when they are expected to express a preference for the man they want elected in Mr. Pinniger's place and the name will be presented to the council members at the special meeting which will be called to name a new member. In the meantime an election will have been held to name a new president.

WILL CONTINUE TO ADVANCE.

Judge Yaple Talks of Negro to Colored Club on Christmas.

Speaking before the Workingmen's club, a colored organization, on Christmas night, Judge Carl Yaple, in discussing "The Negro, Past, Present and Future," declared he could foresee no reason why the past progress of the colored race could not be more than duplicated in the future.

"It took until the year 1789," said Judge Yaple, "for the declaration to be made that all men were created equally, and it took until 1865 for this fact to be demonstrated, regardless of race. Our ancestry dates back for many years and our environment has considerable to do with our character, but neither has anything to do with the present and we are judged by what we are today. Do you stop to think of the development of the colored race of the past thirty years? If any race has developed, a corresponding development has been made by the colored race, and today you possess the liberties of the whites. I do not believe you are seeking more. The social side of the question is one that no man can work out on account of the disagreement of men, although there is nothing which promises to hinder in any way the progress of the race."

Other addresses during the evening were delivered by Rev. S. C. Peters and Hon. James H. Lott, of Indianapolis, who spoke on the subject, "The Negro as an American Citizen."

Calendars discounted ¼. Jones, 112 W. Wayne. 26eod-1t

SPECIAL FIVE-DAY SALE

For the good dressers, boys home from college, and Fort Wayne's many visitors. Special Sale began this morning and closes Saturday night.

40 Kuppenheimer Full Dress Suits in regulars, stouts, stubs and slims at **$27.00.** Did anyone ever hear of a Kuppenheimer Full Dress Suit at such a price before?

About 80 dozen beautiful 50c Four-in-Hand Ties will be sold at **25c** each. Every Tie is new and has come into our store within the last three weeks.

All Suit Cases discounted 20 per cent.
All Traveling Bags discounted 20 per cent.
All Trunks discounted 20 per cent.
All Smoking Jackets discounted 20 per cent.
All Bath Robes discounted 20 per cent.
All Collar Bags and Leather Sets discounted 20 per cent.

All Men's and Young Men's Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats will be discounted 10 per cent. until Saturday night at 10 o'clock.

All of you visitors who are not able to buy a "Hart Schaffner & Marx" or "Sophomore" suit of any kind in your home town for less than $20, should step in here during the next five days and select one of these famous suits for **$13.50.**

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BOARD OF WORKS SENDS A NOTICE

Instructs O. N. Guldlin to Remove Lamp Posts Off Streets.

WOOD LIGHT ALSO

Formal notice has been sent by the board of public works to O. N. Guldlin, of the Western Gas Construction company, instructing him to remove from West Berry street the light posts in front of the Anthony hotel.

Verbal notice was given some time ago, but for some reason Mr. Guldlin wanted it in writing and it has been sent to him. As soon as he complies the posts will be replaced by those of the design chosen by the city. A notice will also be sent to the Fort Wayne Electric works to remove the sample posts erected by it at Berry and Calhoun to demonstrate the Wood light.

Ready for the Council.

At tonight's meeting the board of public works will send to the city council the William H. Dunn and Kaough Coal company's contracts for the supply in 1912 and contracts with the Fort Wayne Electric works for transformers and meters.

It is possible that the David Winburn garbage contract will also be submitted, although this had not been fully decided on late this afternoon. Unless it is approved it can not be taken up until the first January meeting.

INSURANCE HAS GOOD YEAR.

More Cash Paid to Policy Holders Than Ever Before, Says C. W. Orr.

Charles W. Orr, chairman of the executive committee of the National Association of Life Underwriters, in reviewing the work for 1911 says that in his opinion, this has been a remarkably good year for life insurance. While some few companies may not have written as much new business as in the boom year of 1904, yet the total volume will approximate it and the business will be of better quality because of its more intelligent selection and the undoubted intent of permanency of the risk, because purchasers nowadays are much better posted than some ten years ago.

The record for the year will show the greatest amount of money paid to policyholders in the existence of the human race. Death claims will aggregate those paid in 1910, but the matured endowments and dividends paid to policyholders will greatly exceed the amount ever heretofore paid in one year. Many companies have already given notice of increased dividends to policyholders for 1912.

In speaking of his own work for the Ætna Life of Hartford, Conn., with which he has been connected for more than twenty years—ten years as local agent while with the Hamilton National bank and since 1901 as general agent—Mr. Orr says that in order to enable the company to report promptly as of December 31st under the rigid rules of the insurance departments of the exacting states of New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts, in which states only the best life insurance companies can qualify, he has closed his year's business and is well pleased to report for the year new business written and paid for amounting to more than double that of 1910.

Reserve your tables for New Years celebration Saturday night at Alt Heidelberg cafe. 26-4t

MUTINY IN NAVY YARD.

London, Dec. 26.—A news agency dispatch from St. Petersburg reports that a mutiny has broken out at the naval ordnance yard. Measures for quelling the disorder have been taken by the authorities and several mutineers have been wounded by the troops sent to repress the insubordination.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Rush have returned from visits in Quincy, Ill., Kirksville, Mo., and other places.

Wayne Hotel New Years celebration next Saturday. Reserve table now. 26-4t

CHINESE DYNASTY MAY BE FORCED TO DECIDE FATE

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of the idea of a republic is the only means of securing a peaceful solution of China's troubles the revolutionaries are demanding vigorously the immediate election of a president of the republic and asking that the government of China shall be proceeded with without any further notice being taken of Peking.

The conference held yesterday between Dr. Sen Yat Sen, the proposed president and Wu Ting Fang the chief of the revolutionary delegates at the peace conference, resulted in complete agreement between the two leaders and the revolutionaries are now showing a more united front than ever. Nanking is regarded as the most suitable place for the capital for the new republic. Among the revolutionary troops concentrated in and near Pu Kow to the number of nearly 15,000 there is great agitation about the breach of the armistice by the imperial troops. The revolutionaries profess themselves ready to advance against the imperial army reported to be marching from the north under the command of Chang Hsun.

Bush Whacking Popular.

Amoy, China, Dec. 26.—The commander of the expedition which was sent to the northern coast districts on December 12 to restore order there reports that in the towns of Chuan Chow and Engohoon quiet has been re-established. In the country districts, however, conditions are rather serious and there has been considerable resistance. Two villages have been burned by the troops on account of their inhabitants having harbored robbers.

A temporary cessation of clan fighting has been brought about at Hui-An during the presence of the troops.

MEXICO MAY NOW HAVE PEACE

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the penitentiary of the federal district in the portion set apart for political prisoners.

An order that he be brought to the national capital was transmitted today by the minister of the interior to Gen. Geronimo Trevino at Monterey. The commander of the third military zone probably will assign an escort of rurales to General Reyes and also give him a safe conduct to Mexico City.

DENIAL OF REPORT.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 26.—Rudolfo Reyes, son of General Bernardo Reyes, who is here temporarily, received a telegram today which he construed as a denial of the press dispatches that his father surrendered at Linares, Mexico. The telegram was sent from San Antonio, Texas, by Alejandro Reyes, a younger brother, and a translation of it follows: "Please deny in the St. Louis newspapers the notice of our father's surrender. We will make the state denial in San Antonio."

The messages further stated the denial was authorized by Senora Aurelia Ochoa De Reyes, wife of the general, who is in San Antonio. Rudolfo Reyes said he would depart tonight for Chicago unless he received confirmation of the surrender of his father, in which event he would go to San Antonio.

Visit the Anthony.

WILL DEDICATE IN APRIL.

Work Moving Rapidly on New Pythian Building.

Arrangements are now being made for the dedication in April of the new Pythian home on Washington boulevard west, the joint property of Phoenix and Fort Wayne lodges of that order.

Phoenix lodge has elected new officers as follows: Chancellor commander, F. E. Switzer; vice chancellor, W. E. Metcalf; master of work, W. A. Felger; prelate, A. Mitchell; keeper of records and seal, William H. Ward; master of finance, C. J. Lose; master of exchequer, George Pantazin; master of arms, August Haenel; inner guard, Paul Haefner; outer guard, John Steinman; organist, Charles Evarts; host, E. A. Sivits; trustee for three years, J. V. Wilson.

Wayne Hotel New Years celebration next Saturday. Reserve table now. 26-4t

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

DECATUR NEWS.

Decatur, Ind., Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Meyers, of Preble, gave a family dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Milo Black, of Newcastle, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Acker and family, of this city, were guests.

Miss Winnifred Lowery, of Sharon, Pa., formerly of this city, is spending her Christmas vacation here.

Mrs. Nettie Schrock entertained at a family dinner yesterday. Her guests were Mrs. Julia Moses and daughter, Anette, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Meyers and daughters, Ruth and Margaret, and Robert Shrock, of New York city.

Mrs. Abner Parrish and daughter, Ruby, are at Delphos to visit with Mr. and Mrs. French Parrish and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gillig gave a family dinner yesterday. Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rice, Mrs. Adel Neptune and son, Kenneth, and Mr. ad Mrs. Sylvester Spangler.

Many homes of the poor were gladdened in this city. People with baskets went early in the morning or on Christmas eve to homes of the poor and left not only necessary food but delicacies and presents besides. Perhaps the happiest givers were the children of the Methodist Sunday school, whose contributions will cheer a number of families for several weeks. Other churches took it upon themselves to look after the poor.

Mrs. Sadie Cowly and daughter, Maud, of Fort Wayne, returned home today after an over Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Weaver.

The Christmas season this year brought its usual number of weddings. True Daugherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Daugherty, of Monroe, was married to a Miss Gohl, of Kewanna, Friday night and spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Daugherty at Colfax and will spend several days before and after New Year's with his parents. They will reside in Decatur. Mr. Daugherty is a draughtsman employed by the Decatur Motor Co. Martin Ault, a printer at the Democrat office, and Miss Dollie May Overhulser were also married.

Miss Bertha Smith and Mr. Alva Buffenbarger were married at the bride's home.

WIDOWED SISTERS BURN TO DEATH

Aberdeen, Md., Dec. 26.—Mrs. Betsey Keithly and Mrs. Susan Malloy, widowed sisters, were burned to death in a fire of unknown origin which destroyed their home at Carson's Run, near here, early today. The two women had lived alone in the house for the last twelve years.

ACTORS RESCUED FROM FIRE.

Philadelphia, Dec. 26.—Twelve persons, many of them members of theatrical companies playing in this city, were carried through thick smoke to safety today when fire broke out in the Bernice apartment house in the center of the city. The firemen put out the fire after there had been a loss of $15,000 and lots of excitement.

MURDERER LAYS CRIME TO DRINK

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"We had too much whisky in us when we did it. But for that Guelzow (a truck farmer whom they murdered) would be with his wife and child today. I wish I could bring him back."

Slayer Turns Preacher.

Thomas Jennings, a negro sentenced to hang for the murder of Clarence Miller in the suburb of Washington Heights, has turned preacher and yesterday had fifteen negro prisoners on their knees. He also led a song service with the enthusiasm of a revivalist.

Mrs. Louise Vermilya, charged with several poisonings, said she had spent a cheerful Christmas in company with Mrs. Jane Quinn, who is charged with shooting her husband, John Quinn. The two talked and laughed over their dinner of turkey and pudding and apparently enjoyed themselves.

Sixteen hundred prisoners ate an elaborate dinner at the Bridewell and a similar menu was served to 150 boys imprisoned at the John Worthy school.

CARDINAL O'CONNELL MOTORS.

Rome, Dec. 26.—Cardinal O'Connell departed early this morning in a motor car for Naples. He intends to pay a visit to the town of Taormina in the province of Messina, Sicily before embarking for Boston.

THE WATCH AND DIAMOND HOUSE

IF YOU

Were one of the lucky ones to receive money for Christmas and are looking for something in the Jewelry line, you will find no better place than our store to select what you want as we will make you special prices on Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry and have placed in our window an endless array of bargains, all marked in plain figures. Bank your money here and get double value. Square yourself by giving a return present for New Years.

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SOCIETY

The holiday colors, effectively and beautifully arranged in Minuet hall, will form the setting for those who dance at Charity ball tonight and all who otherwise show their good will by attending the affair which promises to be the largest dancing party of the week. Committees have been busy all day arranging southern smilax and other suitable decorations. Excellent music will be furnished by Mr. Trier who is also to be floor manager. The catering will be done by Mrs. Schumaker and supper will be served at the customary hour as at previous balls. The balcony floor of Minuet hall is especially adapted to the comfort of those who do not care to dance.

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The ballroom of the Commercial club was a very attractive place last evening with its Christmas decorations that had been arranged for a domino party given by Miss Ruth Wheelock and Miss Edith Nickell, two of the younger society members who thus entertained a large number of their friends. The two hostesses received their friends alone, but Miss Wheelock's father, Dr. K. K. Wheelock, and Miss Nickell's mother, Mrs. A. J. Nickell, as well as Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Noble, Mrs. Thomas G. Dilworth, Mrs. S. E. Hamlett and Mrs. Peter McGee were the chaperons. The guests in their gay colored dominos and masks made the scene a bright one and dancing was enjoyed all the more by the continual seeking of each one to conceal his identity. Light refreshments were served during the evening after the masks had been removed. The invited guests included Misses Gwendolyn and Georgia Saylor, Elizabeth Porter, Virginia Olds, Dorothy White, Helen Colerick, Charlotte Sites, Ruth and Helen Caldwell, Bessie Keeran, Hadji Dawson, Helen Curdes, Clara Melching, Florence Foster, Mary Evans, Helen Lane, Marie Scroggy, Mary Randall, Olga Rice, Florence Lang, Jessie Orrock, Vera Tresselt, Marjory Pickard, Louise Pickard, Olive Gauntt, Lela Rich, Jane Meriwether, Emel Verweire, Helen McGee, Irma Henderson, Helen Morris, Irma Poole, Helen Kelly, Marie Kelly, Ellen Doyle, Bonnie and Esther Auger, Virginia and Lucy Bash, Helen Harper, Edna Heit, Mildred Noble, Nell Bleckman, Katherine McCurdy, Margaret Fisher, Nellie Wilt, Julia Kelsey, Maribel Olds, Ruth Evans, Constance Keplinger, Helen Puckett, Christine Shryock, Madge and Helen Magee, Dorothy and Margaret Underhill, Emma Alleringer, Italia Evans, Helen Morris, Gladys Hughes and Messrs. Richard Bohn, Earl Thompson, Herbert Miller, Kenneth McDonald, Eugene Hattersley, Ewing Bond, Marshall McKay, Marshall Worden, Donald O'Rourke, Emery Franks, Abbott Carter, William Gill, Ronald Dawson, George Fishering, Stephen Callahan, Onslow Orr, Walter Fishering, Herbert Coverdale, Hale Bradley, Arthur Parry, Perry Cooper, Herbert Fox, Marshall and Charles Worden, Owen Straight, Cremorne Gilpin, Fred Hullard, Ned Williams, Dudley McClure, John Schwieters, Donald Jones, Maurice Lohman, Alfred Gross, Arthur Rose, Walter Curdes, Fred Reltze, Alfred Gessler, Frank Cook, Alfred Kettler, David Yesey, Robert Orrock, Roy Tucker, Leslie Tucker, Herbert Satler, Alfred Foellinger, Eben Lane, Roland Hoffman, Gerald McKinnie, Charles Cherry, Francis Williams, Frank Smitley, James Porter, Bartlett Shryock, Harold Gumpper, Ralph Thieme; Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schreck, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brokaw. Guests from a distance were Miss Lucile Miller, of Tennessee; the Misses Dorothy and Marian McAuliff and Enid Johnson, of Angola; the Misses Marguerite and Florence Walmer, of Bluffton, and Messrs. Wood Melcher, of Chicago; Harry Schlatter, of Detroit; George Evans, of Chicago; Chester Lau, of New York city; Donald A. McQueen, of Chicago; George Bittler, of Indianapolis; Jack Walmer, of Bluffton; Hathaway Kenyser, of Van Wert; Robert Reed McNagny and Philip McNagny, of Columbia City; Herbert Hanna, of Chicago.

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Miss Julia Crook, of Lafayette, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Slater, of Walton avenue.

Miss Frieda Rust, of Indianapolis, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rust, of Jackson street.

Mrs. Ella Morgenthaler, of Chicago, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cornel Morgenthaler and will remain for some time.

Miss Lydia Miller has returned to her home in Delphos, Ohio, after a week's visit here with Miss Jennie Rockhill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rosselot, of 1818 South Harrison street, are visiting relatives at Warsaw for a week.

Mrs. John B. Archer and her mother, Mrs. Donaldson, are in Toledo, Ohio, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schirmeyer and children, of Logansport, who came here to spend Christmas with relatives, will return home tomorrow.

Mrs. J. A. Morris and baby, of Huntington, has returned home after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Zollinger and daughter, of West Main street.

OBSERVE GOLDEN JUBILEE OF THEIR MARRIAGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hostman Were Wed Half a Century Ago in Fort Wayne and Still Occupy the Home Which They Then Entered as Bride and Groom—A Widely Known and Much Esteemed Couple.

MR. AND MRS. CHRISTIAN HOSTMAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hostman today observed their golden wedding anniversary, their marriage having occurred on December 26, 1861. The ceremony of fifty years ago was performed by Rev. Dr. Sihler, then pastor of the St. Paul Lutheran church, at their present residence, 314 West Jefferson street, which has been their home continuously since then.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hostman are pioneer residents of Fort Wayne and are highly esteemed. Mrs. Hostman belongs to one of the oldest and best known families of Allen county. Her maiden name was Cecelia Racine. She is a native of Switzerland and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Racine, came to this country in 1850, then a girl 11 years of age. Her father was one of the leading farmers of Washington township.

Mr. Hostman was born in 1835 in Germany and as a lad of tender years came to America with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hostman. They located in Fort Wayne and this has been the home of the son continuously since then.

And in this city there probably isn't a better known man than "Christ Hostman, the Hackman," he having followed the occupation of a hack, or cab, driver for many years. In fact, he now deserves the title of being the oldest surviving hackman in Fort Wayne, although he has been retired from the business for several years.

As a lad Mr. Hostman was a mule driver on the old Wabash & Erie canal, his father during the earlier years having employment on that waterway. Afterward "Christ" followed the occupation of a house painter, later being an employe of the Wabash railroad shops. Always a lover of horses, after leaving the Wabash shops he had a hack on the streets for many years. It was in this occupation that his wide acquaintance was made and on account of which he is best known.

Mr. Hostman was one of the pioneer city fire laddies. He was a member of the famed Wide Awakes and also of Vigilant Hose Co. No. 1. He also had musical abilities as a snare and bass drummer and for years acted in that position in the city band. Always jovial and generous hearted he made and retained friends and there will be a host of people to join today in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hostman the greatest of happiness on this their golden wedding day and in the years that will yet be theirs among us.

Their children are: Mrs. Carrie Eckart, wife of Frederick Eckart, the president of the Eckart Packing company; Charles W. Hostman, of the Alter cigar store, and Fred C. Hostman, of the city fire department. Charley Hostman, son of the latter, is a grandson.

Rev. Dr. D. W. Moffat and Mrs. Moffat will be the guests of Mrs. P. A. Hamilton and daughters during their visit in the city over New Year's.

Mrs. Grace Williams, of Clinton street, is entertaining her son, James G. Williams, of Burlington, Iowa, for holiday week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker have gone to Michigan where they are visiting their son, Earl Parker and family, this week.

Mrs. William Hammond and daughter, of Brackenridge street, have returned from Lima, Ohio, where they spent Christmas.

Miss Geneva Rodgers, of 930 Columbia avenue, came home from Sacred Heart academy to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Rogers.

Kekionga Aid society will be entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Van Meter, corner of St. Mary's and Pape avenues. Mrs. Bonter will be the assisting hostess.

Miss Ruth Helwig, of Kendallville, is the guest of the Misses Delight and Esther Anderton and will be a visiting guest at the Eta Alpha dance tomorrow night.

Miss Myrtle Eldrige, of Washington, D. C., arrived today to visit Miss Myrtle Graeter for a few days. The young girls are schoolmates at DePauw university.

Miss Helen Loos, who is studying music in New York city, came home for the holidays and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loos, of West DeWald street.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lang entertained relatives of the city at a family dinner on Christmas. Mrs. Lang's brother, Quait Davis, of Detroit, was one of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krimbill, of Chicago, and James Smith, of Gary, were guests yesterday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, of West Berry street. Mr. Krimbill has returned to Chicago.

Mrs. William Campbell and her mother, Mrs. Albrecht, left today for an eastern trip. During the time the ladies will visit with relatives in New York, Washington, Boston and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Glass, of Michigan avenue, have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Frahs, of Green Bay, Wis. Mrs. Frahs is a sister of Mr. Glass. Mr. Frahs is an engineer on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad.

Arthur Stubnatzy, city editor for the Abend Post, spent Christmas day in Aurora, where his engagement to Miss Alvina Rullman was announced at her home. Miss Rullman is a daughter of Henry Rullman, owner of the Acme mills, of Aurora.

Mrs. Mary Ewing has as her guest Shirley Ewing, of Baltimore, who is staying with his grandmother while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ewing, and three other children, are at Arcadia, Ga., for a fortnight or three weeks' stay. Master Shirley is the youngest child and is accompanied by his nurse.

Among the family gatherings in this city yesterday was that held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester T. Lane. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Breidenstein, who have been living in Indianapolis and probably will move to Milwaukee the first of the year, were among the guests. Robert Lane, who has a position in the office of the governor of Michigan, was one of the company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller, of Wells street, held a family reunion on Christmas day. Two sons, Lawrence and Wildy Miller, who have been away for two years, were present to participate in the happy time that all present enjoyed. There were twenty-five relatives and friends at the bountifully laden dinner table and a merry company passed the hours all too quickly.

A family dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Curdes, of West Creighton avenue, on Christmas day, was given especially in honor of their daughter, Miss Helen, who celebrated her natal anniversary on the great festival day. There were thirty in the party who enjoyed a beautifully trimmed Christmas tree as well as other entertainment provided for them. The house was decorated with holiday greens and bells and the dinner table with flowers and candles.

Master Edward Seidel celebrated his birth anniversary yesterday by entertaining his kindergarten classmates of the Harmer school at his home in Monroe street. There was a gay Christmas tree and plenty of toys for the children to enjoy and they spent a merry two hours. Ice cream and cake were served at a long table decorated with holly and the children ate frozen bells and Santa Clauses just as if they had no sentiment whatever about the real ones. There was music and there were gifts and when the children started for home each had a box of candy and a holly paper box of pencils and erasers to use when they start into school after the holidays. The entire company had a very good time. Miss Lillian Busch assisted her sister in waiting on the little folks.

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Reunion of the Black Family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hall, of 943 East Wayne street, had a reunion of the Black family at their home on Sunday, and a fine dinner with the customary order of toasts and congratulations of the season a part of the enjoyment of a very happy gathering. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Black, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Black, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Black, Mr. and Mrs. William Black, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blume, Mr. and Mrs. William Weikert, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Spindler, Marion Black, Earl Black, Miss Josephine Black, Miss Harriet Spindler, Miss Rachael Blume, William Blume, Virgil Blume, Ralph Blume, Mrs. Ella Black, Miss Ella Carroll, Miss Lillie Walbolt, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Jenness, Tyler M. Gillette.

OUR CULINARY DEPARTMENT

MENUS AND RECIPES FOR HOUSEKEEPER'S DAILY USE

TUESDAY, DEC. 26.

Breakfast.
Fruit
Liver and Bacon Creamed Potatoes
Entire Wheat Biscuits
Coffee.

Lunch.
Broiled Sliced Mutton
Sauce Marinade
Prune Short Cake Tea

Dinner.
Barley Broth
Turkey Fricassee Turnip Croquettes
String Beans
Watercress and Apple Salad
Wafers Cream Cheese
Apple Cream
Coffee

RECIPES.

Entire Wheat Biscuit.

Sift together one quart of entire wheat flour, one scant teaspoonful of salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Rub into this one heaping tablespoonful of butter. Add gradually sufficient cold sweet milk to mix to a soft dough; a stout kitchen knife is preferable to a spoon, as the mixture should be stirred as little as possible. Turn out on a floured board, knead with the hands just enough to work the dough together and roll out one inch thick. Cut into rounds with a biscuit cutter and place on a shallow greased pan, brush over with milk and bake in a hot oven.

Apple Cream.

Peel and core tart apples; slice and weigh them, and to three pounds take one cupful of sugar; put in a granite kettle with the grated rind and the juice of one lemon, two cloves and one inch of stick cinnamon, simmer slowly until the apples are very tender, then rub through a colander. Scold one pint of fresh cream, mix with it the apple pulp and serve cold.

Ideas on Entertaining

Many is the anxious thought spent by the hostess on novel methods for keeping her visitors amused. Impromptu parties especially require a special effort on the part of the hostess for her guests' entertainment.

A diverting evening was spent recently by a number of girls and boys in an old-fashioned quiz party. For this little home game sides are chosen as for a regular country spelling bee. The hostess then acts as teacher, and, beginning with the leader of one side, asks him the height and breadth of an article in the room, having first mentioned it herself. Such things as lamps, waste paper baskets, small tables, pictures, vases and other knick-knacks about the room may be chosen as subjects for their guesses. The hostess gives first one side, then the other a chance until the exact measure is named, the person who hits the correct answer winning for her or his side one point toward a prize. This may be a box of homemade candy, cooked on a chafing dish after the quiz party is finished.

Preparation Needed.

If the hostess has had time for preparation and wishes to serve a light supper, a novelty may be introduced in the pairing off of guests. Pass around among the men a tray full of conundrums, the answers of which should be distributed among the girls. Let each man read his question out loud, then the girl who thinks she has the proper solution on her slip of paper should step forward and claim him as her partner. This will cause much amusement, as often there may be three or four answers which might be correct.

Another impromptu party that will cause a great deal of fun depends on each person's powers of observation. The hostess should send the men into one room, the girls into another. The entertainer should then give to each man a slip with the name of one of the young ladies on it. To each girl should be given a man's name. Each person is then required to write a detailed description of the girl or boy named on his or her slip, naming the color and style of the clothes, the color of hair and eyes; hairdressing, shoes, ties and collars should be included in the account.

Then a jury of four should be elected, two of each sex. Each guest must read his description aloud and the jury passes a decision on its merits. Very funny things happen in a party of this sort. It is found very often that those who seem least observant really notice more details than their more brilliant companions.

HOW TO SAVE THE HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES

THERE is a new game for ennuied women which, if it is not so exciting as auction bridge, involves the winning or losing of possibly larger sums of money than women dare put up at cards. It is called "Beating the Budget," and is played with grocers' bills and bank books.

Any number of people may play, from grandmother to baby who is just beginning to spend pennies. Through it the family may be reunited around the happy hearth and father need not be forced to seek amusement at a club. He will enjoy this game, for it is nothing more or less than a scheme to save his money.

The point of it is to make the scores for the household expenditures tally with those of the budget or family income.

You plan out your budget at the beginning of the month—so much for food, so much for rent, for clothes and so much for amusements, books, travel, life insurance and savings.

Day by day you keep account of all you spend for these things, and at the end of the month you sort out these accounts into the classification in the budget. Then the exciting moment has arrived. You compare the two. How triumphant you are if you win, but what a disgrace if the budget beats you!

Next month you play it all over again. Perhaps you can't keep up the pace and lose track of your expenditures. Then is when you bless the check book, if you are one of the lucky people who pay everything by check, for you need not worry; at the end of the month all your checks will come flocking home to you, bringing their tales of where the money went.

Just try this scheme of keeping account of every item and see if "Beating the Budget" doesn't minimize the household

KITCHENETTES

TO make a pastry bag, fold a piece of very strong muslin, one foot square, from two opposite corners. Fell the edges tightly together, thus forming a triangular bag. Cut off the point to make an opening large enough to insert a tin pastry tube. It is better to have two or three pastry bags, each fitting their own respective tubes.

To use the pastry bag, put the tin tube into the bag and fit it into the opening. Fill the bag with the mixture, close the top of the bag, give it a twist and hold it tightly with the right hand. Put the point of the tube close to the place where the mixture is to be spread. Press with the left hand and guide the mixture into any shape desired, eclairs, lady fingers, &c.

To make a jelly bag, take one yard of thick, all wool flannel, fold the two opposite corners together, fell the side, making a triangular bag. Bind the top with heavy tape and fasten on the upper side two or three heavy loops by which it may be hung up.

Calendars discounted ¼. Jones, 112 W. Wayne. 26cod-4t

THE BOSTON STORE

EXTRA SPECIALS

For a few days we are going to sell the following articles at special reduced prices:

BLANKETS

Cotton Blankets at **75c** a pair; worth $1.00.
Cotton Blankets at **$1.00** a pair; worth $1.25.
Cotton Blankets at **$1.25** a pair; worth $1.50.
Cotton Blankets at **$1.48** a pair; worth $1.75.
Cotton Blankets at **$1.59** a pair; worth $2.00.
Fancy Plaid Blankets at **$1.75** a pair; worth $2.25.
Fancy Plaid Blankets at **$2.00** a pair; worth $2.50.
Wool Nap Blankets, Grey and Tan, at **$2.00** a pair; worth $2.50.
Extra Heavy Wool Nap Blankets at **$2.25** a pair; worth $2.75.
Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets at **$3.89** a pair; worth $5.00.
Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets (extra heavy), at **$5.00** a pair; worth $6.00.
Fancy and Plain Extra Heavy Wool Blankets at **$6.00** a pair; worth $7.50.

COMFORTERS

Dark Comforters at **89c**; worth $1.00.
Light and Dark Comforters at **$1.00**; worth $1.25.
Large Size Comforters at **$1.25**; worth $1.59.
Extra Large Size Comforters at **$1.50**; worth $2.00.

RUGS

Another lot of 9x12 Room Size Velvet Rugs at $12.00; worth $15.00.
27x54 Velvet Rugs at **$1.19; worth $1.50**
27x54 Velvet Rugs at **$1.69**; worth $2.00.

SWEATERCOATS

Ladies' Sweatercoats at **50c, $1.89, $2.00 and $2.50 each.**
Gents' Sweatercoats at **50c and $1.00.**
Children's Sweatercoats at **50c, $1.00 and $1.50.**

KIMONOS

Ladies' Long Kimonos at **$1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.89.**
Ladies' Short Kimonos at **50c**; worth 65c.
Ladies' Outing Night Gowns at **50c, 79c and 89c.**

REMEMBER

All Holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost.

Wm. Hahn & Co. The Boston Store

WAYS TO KEEP WARM WHEN MOTORING

At this season of the year it behooves the woman motorist to bestow more thought than usual upon the question of dress, for in spite of the constant changes in atmosphere conditions, the one or two cold snaps that we have experienced may be taken as warning that winter is upon us.

It is not the custom nowadays to regard the car as a fair weather, summer vehicle and leave it in its stable during the winter months. The car has become so much a part of our daily life—and, indeed, many have replaced horses and carriages by motor cars—that we simply could not dispense with its services, however bad the weather might be.

The car is used for all the purposes that once the horse performed for us, but in the present instance it is more to touring, and the ordinary pleasure side of motoring, that reference is made than to the use of the car for shopping, paying afternoon calls, and so on.

Motoring—really enjoyable motoring—is just as possible in winter as in summer, although it goes without saying that the pleasure is greater on a bright frosty day than in December slush, but there are certain precautions that must be taken if the pastime is to be enjoyed to the full.

It sounds stupid to say that, above all, one must keep warm, but that obvious assertion is made in view of the fact that some difficulty may be found in fulfilling the condition.

There is little need to speak of the personal clothing suitable for winter motoring, for warm woolen garments and a voluminous fur or leather-lined motor coat will do all that is require in maintaining the warmth of the bod and excluding cold, piercing winds. Bu even proper clothing will not be sufficien on a long motor ride in really col weather unless attention is paid to th equipment of the car in the matter rugs.

For women who drive, however, th question is often complicated by the fa that when closely wrapped up in the o dinary kind of rug they cannot contr the car with that absence of conscio mental effort that is essential to enjo ment. For some reason many people both men and women—cannot drive wit a rug, and unless some other means keeping warm be adopted they a forced to motor without adequate pr tection from the elements.

A good idea in such a case is to have properly fitting apron buttoned in fro to the dashboard and fixed at the sid to the tops of the side doors with whic almost every car is fitted nowadays.

Table d' Hote dinner, 9 t 12 Saturday. Wayne Hote Music. 26-4t

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New Pins, Back Combs and the very latest ornamentations in Ribbon Flowers, all colors; Flowers of Cloth of Gold and Gilt Bands.

Have just placed on sale a large assortment of Gold Cloth French Caps which I received from the Marshall Field Store of Chicago.

A large display of switches from $2.50 up.

A great number of beautiful novelties for Xmas gifts.

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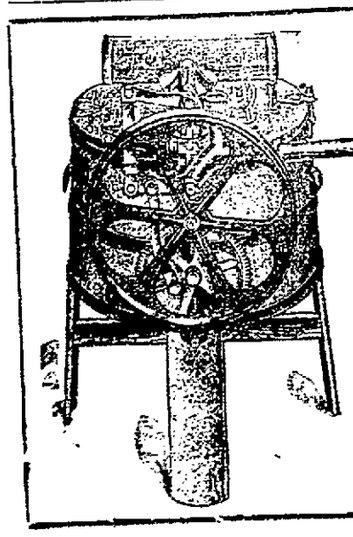

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SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

H. K. BRADY IS GIVEN PROMOTION

Appointed Superintendent of Marietta Division of Pennsylvania.

MAKING OUT TWO STATEMENTS

Wabash Clerks Have Double Duty to Perform in December.

A bulletin bearing the name of T. B. Hamilton, general superintendent of the Pennsylvania Central system, announces the appointment of H. K. Brady to the office of superintendent of the Marietta division. Mr. Brady succeeds Mr. McCullough, who has been transferred to the Richmond division of the Southwest system. Both of these changes are promotions and they are the result of the creation of the Central system, mentioned by The Sentinel some time ago.

W. B. STIMSON DEAD.

Well known Railway Man Expires Suddenly at His Home.

Local Grand Rapids and Indiana officials were shocked yesterday by news of the death at Grand Rapids of Warren B. Stimson, which occurred Sunday. The deceased was assistant to Vice President and General Manager J. H. P. Hughart, of the G. R. & I., and was known to nearly every employe of the company in this city. He was sixty-three years old and had been connected with the G. R. & I. road in the early days of its existence. Supt. B. H. Hudson, Trainmaster R. E. Casey, Commercial Agent E. O. Wagner and Road Foreman of Engines A. L. Lopshire went to Grand Rapids to attend the funeral.

CLERKS VERY BUSY.

Change of Control of Wabash Occasion For It.

The clerks in every department of the Wabash have to make out two separate reports this month, one covering the time up to 12 o'clock last night to the Wabash officials and one for the time between the night of the 25th and the morning of January 1 to the receivers. This puts a lot of extra work on the clerical department, as the earnings of every man, from the messengers and apprentices on up to the higher officials, must be recorded twice. And the clerical force will not be allowed any assistance.

THE NEW HIGH LINE.

The San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad, which recently completed a shorter and better line between Salt Lake City and Los Angeles, Cal., which it calls "The New High Line," has issued a pamphlet descriptive of the route which is handsomely printed, illustrated and bound and which will be appreciated mostly by people who have in contemplation a trip to the Pacific coast country. The illustrations represent, among other noted scenic points mountains and canyons near Caliente, Galt, the Elgine bridge, portals to one of the tunnels, Carson's rache, Kyle, Palisade canyon, Rainbow canyon and the freight terminal in Los Angeles.

BUYING TIMBER IN OHIO.

Central and eastern Ohio, which was abandoned by timber and lumber dealers fifty years ago because of what was then considered an inferior quality, is now furnishing to the trade more and better timber and lumber than does the timbered districts of Indiana and Michigan. Fred C. Bolmann, timber purchaser for Perrine & Armstrong, left this afternoon for Ohio, where he will spend the week inspecting and purchasing timber in Wayne, Ashland and Richland counties. The Perrine-Armstrong company get a good deal of oak and hickory timber from that section of the country.

WAST HOST TO MANY.

One of the most happy gatherings of Christmas day was at the home of F. W. Schaphorst, 1307 Oakland street, when he and his estimable wife were host and hostess at a family dinner, which began at 4 o'clock and was not finished until after dark. At the table, in addition to the host and hostess, were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schaphorst, the parents of the host; Mr. and Mrs. H. Busching, the parents of the hostess; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hohman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Striker and Robert Hohman.

MANAGER OF SHOE STORE.

C. L. LaFevre is now manager of a Wear-You-Well shoe store in Port Huron, Mich., which is one of the leading shoe stores in that city. Mr. LaFevre is a Fort Wayne man and for two or three years was employed as a clerk in the Pennsylvania shops, his last service there being in the office of Foreman Daniel Petgen, of the copper shop.

IS AT SEWICKLEY.

Supt. and Mrs. W. M. Wardrop, who had been at Pinehurst, N. C., for three weeks, reached Sewickley, Pa., Sunday and are now guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wardrop. Mrs. Donna, the mother of Mrs. Wardrop, and the children of Mr. and Mrs. Wardrop have also gone to Sewickley. All expect to return here next Friday.

HAD FAMILY GATHERING.

Joseph C. Brake, stenographer in the office of Road Foreman of Engines C. R. Colmey, of the Pennsylvania, and his wife are host and hostess to several relatives. They are E. L. Hutchens and two sons, Frank and Glenn Hutchens, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hutchens, of Hammond, Ind. All are relatives of Mrs. Brake.

MASTER MECHANIC REESE HERE.

Master Mechanic O. P. Reese, of Allegheny, who was here to spend Christmas with his relatives, left this afternoon for his home. Mrs. Reese will remain here a week when her husband will return and accompany her to Allegheny. She is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hattersley.

INJURED HAVE RECOVERED.

C. H. Bauermeister, who had a thumb hurt December 11; J. J. Steinbacher, who had a foot hurt December 16, and E. P. Galland, who had a shoulder hurt December 9, reported for duty at the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning.

GONE TO THE HOG SHOW.

Twenty-five men interested in fine cattle and hogs left over the Pennsylvania this evening for Shenandoah, Iowa, where they will attend a big stock show. They will stop at a stock raising center in Illinois en route home to attend another show.

HIS FOOT WAS BRUISED.

M. O. Shookman sustained an injury Saturday afternoon that has put him on the disability list for awhile. While at work in the Pennsylvania erecting shop a piece of metal fell on and bruised one of his ankles.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Al Dininger is off duty at the Pennsylvania shops because of sickness in his family.

Engineer and Mrs. Henry Neimeyer, of Montpelier, Ohio, were the guests yesterday of friends.

J. Ronk, W. H. Miller, B. W. Lang and J. H. Martin, Pennsylvania shopmen, are sick and off duty.

H. J. Medsker, Bowser salesman in Pennsylvania territory, is spending the holiday season in Fort Wayne.

Martin Luegring, of the Bass boiler shop, is sick and failed to report for duty at that shop this morning.

Passenger Engineer Max Horning is on duty again on the Pennsylvania, after being sick two or three weeks.

The Wabash handled the "Henpecked Henry" theatrical company out of this city to Springfield, Ill., this morning.

Blacksmith E. H. Rehling has recovered from an illness which kept him from his work in the Pennsylvania shops.

Division Storekeeper H. W. Hurst, of the Wabash, went to St. Thomas, Ontario, this morning on business for the company.

Blacksmith R. W. Shaw, who had a thumb injured three weeks ago, has recovered and resumed his work in the Pennsylvania shops.

Pennsylvania Fireman Louis Koch is sick and off duty. Fireman C. C. Todd, of the same road, is off duty on account of the sickness of his wife.

H. E. Allison, local freight agent for the Nickel Plate, accompanied by his wife and daughter, spent Christmas with relatives at Kalida, O.

Felix Logan resumed work at the Pennsylvania shops this morning. He was off duty several days on account of the sickness of his wife.

General Foreman Henry Eisele and Boiler Inspector Frank Eisele, of the Wabash shops, are at Springfield, Ill., for a visit with their father.

Engineer J. J. Sheehan and Fireman C. W. Dreibilbiss, who had been sick two or three weeks, resumed their work on the Pennsylvania this morning.

Harry Heller, of Canton, O., is visiting his parents, Patrolman and Mrs. George Heller. Harry is an artist employed in an engraving establishment in Canton.

Arthur Burlage, for six months employed in the office of the shipping department of the Electric works, resigned Saturday to take employment elsewhere.

The Nickel Plate has stored 5,000 tons of coal at Bellevue and the coal crane, which handled the fuel, has been transferred to Leipsic to unload a lot of fuel at that point.

F. P. Parnin, traveling passenger agent for the Nickel Plate, left today for the Ohio territory. He will be absent from this city during the balance of the week.

Master Mechanic Adam LaMar, of the Chicago Terminal of the Pennsylvania, was here yesterday to spend Christmas with his family, who have not yet moved to Chicago.

John O. Bryant, who resides west of the city a mile or two, failed to report at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning. It is presumed that he found the roads impassable.

Mrs. Paul, wife of Pennsylvania Machinist W. E. Paul, left yesterday for New York to visit friends. Mr. Paul will follow next Friday and will return with his wife next week.

Engine Dispatcher Walter Eix was able to report for duty at the Pennsylvania round house office this morning. He had been off duty several days on account of sickness of his wife.

Assistant Master Mechanic E. E. Griest, of the Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Griest, have returned from Pittsburg, where they went last week for a Christmas visit with Mr. Griest's parents.

F. W. Ranney, of the Pensylvania blacksmith shop, and his wife, had as a guest her brother, Frank Brown, of Louisville, Ky., yesterday. Mr. Brown is foreman of the Beckwith Organ works at Louisville.

W. R. Hillary, division engineer at New Castle for the Pennsylvania, was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Hillary was stationed here in the capacity of motive power inspector several years ago.

John Hanna, assistant road foreman of engines of the Pennsylvania, and his wife, have returned from Orleans, Ind., where they spent the Christmas holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bassett, formerly of this city.

George M. Thomas, general freight agent of the Wabash at Pittsburg, and Dale E. Gilbert, traveling freight agent of that territory for the Wabash, were guests yesterday of Agent A. L. Gilbert. Mr. Thomas was formerly the Wabash agent at Wabash and he had been there on a visit, and Mr. Gilbert had been in St. Louis on business and each stopped off here on their return trip to Pittsburg.

Clyde Wilson, aged seventeen years, and Emanuel Leffler, aged nineteen, who had been working in eastern Ohio, were picked off the "blind baggage" on Nickel Plate train No. 1, at Cleveland, last Friday and held for train jumping. The boys were making an effort to steal rides to their homes in Antwerp, Ohio, where they hoped to arrive in time to enjoy the Christmas dinner at their respective homes.

A PICTURE OF MR. BRAUN TAKEN BY HIMSELF.

ANDREW BRAUN.

The above picture represents Andrew Braun, one of the rising young electricians and artists at the Fort Wayne Electric works. This picture was taken by Mr. Braun himself, who is at present employed in the studio of the publishing department of the Electric works. He has been connected with that department for seven years and is now an expert in handling the camera.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

HE'S THE KING OF THE DIAMOND.

Ty Cobb in "The College Widow" at the Majestic This Evening.

The average American is a follower of a more diversified line of sports than any other nationality in the world. While one line may have a few more enthusiasts than the other, as a whole patronage is about even with baseball and football leading in the exhibition of clean-cut athletics. Nowhere is the American's love for sports so well illustrated as in George Ade's clever satire of college life, "The College Widow," and the great enthusiasm which is worked up in the clever stage picture of the football game never fails to grip each and every member of the audience.

With "The College Widow" at the Majestic this evening added interest will be given the athletic spirit and the natural character types of the college campus through the appearance of Ty Cobb the greatest ball player the diamond has ever known. The theatergoers should be thankful to Mr. Vaughan Glaser for securing Cobb for the stage, as he has proven one of the greatest surprises of the year in the dramatic world. As in baseball and other lines of sport, he seems peculiarly adapted for the stage. Nature has endowed him with a magnificent athletic physique, and a great amount of that "stictoitiveness" which has made him a success, and his instant conception of what was expected of him as an actor was a surprise to all. His many years of training in facing large assemblages of people has stood him in good stead, and, as stated above, he is really a dramatic find.

In preparing the production of "The College Widow," Mr. Glaser did not overlook a detail and the cast which he selected to interpret the various clever holes is an excellent one throughout, with everyone in his place and a place for everyone.

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James K. Hackett in "The Grain of Dust."

Direct from his three months' run at two Chicago theaters, where over 100,000 theatergoers saw the play, James K. Hackett is bringing "The Grain of Dust" to the Majestic Wednesday evening. Mr. Hackett will be seen in the stellar role of the play, of course, but he brings with him other stars in the wonderfully successful play which Louis Evan Shipman made from David Graham Phillips' most celebrated novel. E. M. Holland will be seen in one of the important roles while others in the company are Frazer Coulter, Frank Burbeck, Charles Stedman, Vaughan Trevor, Fred Sullivan, Daniel Jarrett, jr., Olive Harper, Izetta Jewel and Paulina Neff.

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"Driftwood."

Some day perhaps there will be a better world, one that will tilt on its axis and turn backward. In the new drama, "Driftwood," which comes to the Majestic Thursday, Friday and Saturday and daily matinee, it is said that Owen Davis, the author, points out in a most graphic manner one of our social problems that will help to point the way. A brilliant, but bitter criticism of the man that cultivates personal dominance over women.

The idea offers an opportunity for a play of the most absorbing sort, particularly as, in this instance the woman makes a herculean effort to save herself.

And into this warp of serious import are woven a delightful vein of comedy and a moral that is not preachy.

The company, it is promised, will be entirely capable and includes, besides Miss Ollie Cooper, Misses Gertrude Fowler, Bertha Welby, Rene Chaplow and Messrs. James Rennie, Robert Frazer, Harry Cowley, William Weston, James Cormican and John Richards.

An unusually large and complete production is likewise assured and the name of the producing managers, the Leffler-Bratton company, is sufficient to guarantee the best of everything.

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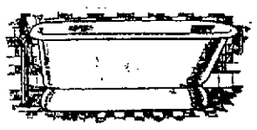

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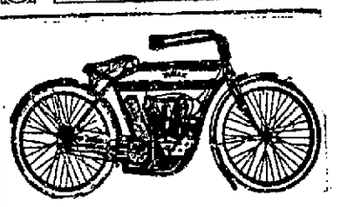

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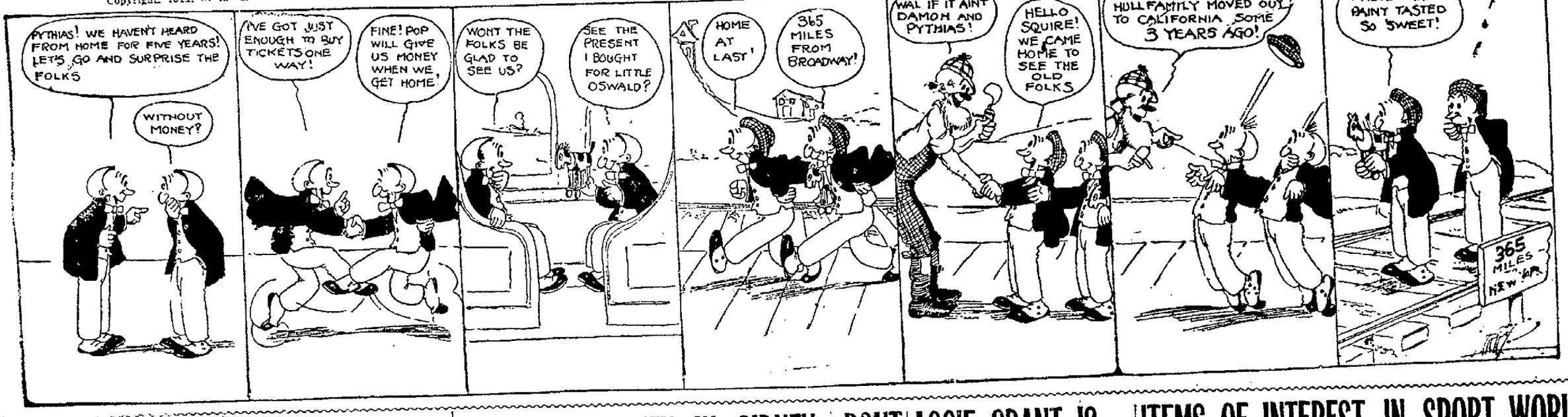

FIRST BASE JOB DEMANDS HITTER

Good Material Scarce and Managers Are Scouring the Country.

HARD TO LAND 'EM

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 26.—The big battle just now between the various big leagues over the acquisition of promising material brings up the subject, is the game progressing as the play in that portion of the diamond is concerned? It looks as if a pennant winning organization has got to have a hard-hitting first baseman in its line, a slugger of the clean-up kind in order to attain its end.

Great first basemen have shone from the time the pastime attained national prominence. Among the old timers, the greatest sluggers were "Pop" Anson, Dan Brouthers and Dave Orr. These men were of championship material throughout their careers, as far as their hitting was concerned, but in their time they were not called upon to play a perfect fielding game. It was Pat Tebeau and Charles A. Comiskey who advanced the science in the business. Tebeau and Comiskey introduced all the real fielding tricks, and it was not until Frank Chance loomed up on the surface that they were perfected.

According to the records, Frank Chance is one of the greatest hitting and fielding first basemen in the game today. For eleven years he played the position and never did he fall below the .300 mark in his hitting.

Report has it that Chance will get into the game next season when the Cubs start their battle for the National league pennant. This hardly seems possible. Chance has suffered from the many "bean balls" he has run up against, and it is doubtful whether he can get back into the form that he showed before his injuries. So it is that the Chicago team is on a long search for the necessary material to develop a player of the Chance caliber.

Saier had hit one of Matty's fast ones, but he couldn't repeat when he faced the fade-away king again. Then it was that the "change of pace" told its story. As Saier progressed his fielding efficiency increased through the able coaching he received from Chance, King, Archer and others on the team, but as the season advanced his ability to hit fell off and he was a mark for the best pitchers in the league. Saier may outgrow his bad stick work, but this can come only with experience; but the Cubs can't wait for that and must have other material. President Murphy has secured one youngster, a left-hander named Alger, from Newark and called the "Hal Chase of the Eastern league." If he can show the clever fielding ability of Jake Daubert and hit deceptive pitching successfully he may prove to be one of the coming stars.

The greatest hitting and fielding first baseman of the future," said Johnny Kling, the ex-Cub, now with the Boston Rustlers, "will be a left-hander. Of this I am certain, and I got my cue from the work of Daubert, of Brooklyn, who beat the Cubs in two games by perfect fielding stunts when the squeeze play would have won two games for them last summer prior to my trade to Boston."

PLUMBERS IN HARD LUCK.

In the second Brunswick league games yesterday the Hattersley & Sons five bowled in hard luck. The players got more pins than the Troy Laundry club but lost two in three games. Koenig and Archbold split honors for the Laundrymen and Swain was high for the washers. The scores:

—Troy Laundry.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
L. Oliver	159	124	136	419	140
A. Koenig	191	179	121	491	164
F. Bohnke	127	154	151	432	144
Schwilger	176	145	146	467	156
Archbold	159	178	175	512	171
Totals	812	780	729	2321	740

—Hattersley & Sons.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Swain	160	199	186	554	185
Tegtmeyer	137	146	191	474	158
Snyder	182	159	164	495	165
Seabold	134	146	159	439	146
Daly	113	124	171	408	136
Totals	765	774	861	2400	800

ROBISON READY CALL OFF TRADE

Publication of Philadelphia Story Cause of the Trouble.

WEEKLY USED STORY

John R. Robinson, a Philadelphia newspaper man who made an offer for the Wheeling franchise in the Central league, is about ready to call the trade off all because of the publication of a story in the Central Leaguer, a weekly paper with its sole mission in sporting circles the reproduction of uncredited clippings from the dailies over the circuit.

This story went on to tell that Horace Fogel, president of the Philadelphia club, and Charles W. Murphy, owner of the Cubs, had decided to buy the Stogies club for the purpose of educating young players and that Kitty Bransfield would be the manager. The price was given in the story as $8,000, divided as follows:

A five-year lease on two baseball parks at $600 per year	$3,000
Three players recently acquired by purchase	1,000
Players reserved for the season of 1912	4,000

Further it was given out that Mr. Robinson had said he was only waiting to hear from his associates in the majors about a manager so he could close up the deal.

This all may or may not have been true, but premature publication has aroused Mr. Robinson and he is ready to quit as indicated by the following telegram sent in response to a query from the Wheeling Register:

"Telegram just received. I was in New York last night. There is absolutely no truth in the story to the effect that Fogel and Murphy will be the real owners if my deal goes through. There is not even the slightest foundation upon which to base such a theory.

"Bransfield is now the property of the Chicago Nationals. Murphy's club. Fogel and myself were associated in newspaper work in this city. Through Fogel, I have offered Murphy the pick of the Wheeling players, one man, at the close of 1912, in exchange for Bransfield's release. Fogel, through friendship alone, will give me a few of his young players in the spring. I never met Murphy in my life and your Wheeling people should realize that Murphy, a millionaire, will touch no baseball proposition smaller than an American association team.

"Rather than act as a dummy for others I will call off the deal entirely. If the opinion becomes general that I am merely a figurehead in Wheeling, I will drop the matter and let the club go to others. The salary others might pay me to run the club's business affairs could not possibly be as large as I can earn in newspaper work. Besides, I am all through working for other people. If possible, show the weekly publication to which you refer the folly of its stand. The fact that it even hints at such a purchase is no compliment to its owners, as far as reportorial work is concerned. I expect to be able to make a final decision not later than Tuesday of next week. Thanks for your courtesy in this matter.

"JOHN R. ROBINSON."

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BESTED BY M'VEY IN SIDNEY BOUT

"SAM" LANGFORD

FUNNY SIDES OF PLAYERS' LIVES

The Giants, recently playing in Cuba, were very much worried over the difficulties they would have because of their inability to speak Spanish. Merkle was down there two years ago with the All-Stars, and tells a funny story of the time when he and Germany Schaefer spent a half hour in a Cuban restaurant trying to tell the waiter in Spanish what they wanted to eat. They racked their brains trying to think of the Spanish word for "beans." Schaefer even tried French by saying "petit pois," which means small peas. Merkle, who speaks German, even tried "sweiner fleisch" for "pork," but all in vain. After thirty minutes of brave effort with the waiter looking at them curiously, everything was dead quiet.

"Say," finally said the waiter, "are you guys trying to order pork and beans?" He was from New Orleans and couldn't understand their Spanish.

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Chief Meyers and Marcans, the Cuban outfielder for Cincinnati, also got in bad trying to speak a foreign language in the presence of a stranger out west last summer. They were in the smoking compartment of a sleeper. The stranger was smoking a queer kind of cigarette that had an atrocious smell. Chief Meyers and Marcans both speak Spanish fluently, and they began to "pan" the stranger in Spanish. They talked about him and his cigarette for an hour, saying all the mean things in the world. They felt safe in the fact that he couldn't understand them and kept up the roasting until the stranger arrived at his destination. As he arose to leave the car he turned around to the chief and Marcans and in perfect Spanish said, "Adios, senors." Chief says you could have knocked him down with a feather.

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While on his recent tour of the country, President Taft's special train had to lay up in a little town for more than an hour after he had finished a long speech on the tariff. A serious-minded statesman in the party noticed a great crowd gathering around the railway station and talking very earnestly. Occasionally they would go into the telephone office and then continue their discussion with renewed vigor.

"They must be interested in that tariff speech," observed one of the president's party as they looked out the car window. "Suppose I go over and talk to them."

The statesman walked up to the crowd, and, addressing those nearest him, asked: "What seems to be the general sentiment?"

"Well," replied the man, "we are kinder mixed up. Most of us thinks it will be the Giants, but the operator in there says it looks like the Athletics."

They had been waiting for the returns of the world's series games. It is said that Mr. Taft was the only one in the party to appreciate the joke.

M'VEY GETS DECISION.

Bests Sam Langford in Battle at Sidney Today.

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 26.—Sam McVey, the British negro fighter, who has been seen more frequently in Paris than in American rings of late years, secured a decision on points over Sam Langford, the Boston "Tar Baby," in a twenty-round bout at Rushcutter's Bay stadium this morning. The bout was regarded as an elimination contest for the right to challenge Champion Jack Johnson, who will be offered a purse to come here for a title bout.

The fight, which was the feature of "Boxing day," attracted an immense throng to the stadium, and it was rewarded by seeing an entertaining exhibition. Hugh McIntosh conducted the fight.

The contest between McVey and Langford took place this (Tuesday) morning at 10 o'clock. It is possible to give the results to American followers of pugilism "before the event even happened," at least chronologically, because of a fifteen hours' difference in time. When the men were entering the ring at 10 o'clock this morning at Sydney it was approximately 7 o'clock last night in Fort Wayne.

TOGETHER, THOUGH FAR APART.

Denver, Dec. 26.—Although separated by 500 miles, Charles R. Anderson, a wealthy New York broker and his wife yesterday enjoyed a Christmas dinner together by telephone. Mr. Anderson is at a Denver hotel and his wife is in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Telephones were placed at their respective dinner tables and waiters on extension telephones heard husband and wife order a menu together as if they had been sitting side by side. During the menu husband and wife kept up a lively conversation. Telephone charges brought the cost of the dinner up to $15.

DOUBTFUL ABOUT GAINOR.

Hughey Jennings is a little doubtful about Gainor's wrist and is trying to get hold of a first baseman to hold in reserve until he can find out whether the member will be strong or not. This gave rise to the talk about a trade for Murphy but the Tiger manager says there is nothing doing. He also says that Gainor's wrist is coming along nicely and will probably be good as new in the spring.

UNKNOWN MAN RESCUER.

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 26.—Aurelia Mabray, 32, was saved from death by drowning in the Wabash river last night by an unidentified man. A tower watchman saw the woman enter the water and disappear and shouted warning to two men who were passing. The man who swam out and rescued the woman was chilled and did not tarry long enough to give his name. The woman is said to have waded into the Ohio river at Evansville, Ind., about three years ago, while she was a resident of that city. Her husband, Carl Mabray, is a commission merchant.

THOUGHT HE HAD WON BOUT.

When Referee Tom Jenkins tapped Raceivitch on the back in his wrestling match with Zbyszko at Madison Square Garden, New York, last night he thought he had won and went to his dressing room. Zbyszko had agreed to throw him three times in an hour and a half. The Pole got the first fall in about thirty-eight minutes. In the second Jenkins tapped the Italian on the back, he said to warn him, but Raceivitch took it for a signal that had pinned his man down and left the ring. Jenkins gave the decision to the Pole.

ANSON RESCUES DROWNING BOYS.

Adrian C. Anson rescued two lads from a lagoon at Jackson park in Chicago yesterday after the boys had broken through the ice. He waded in and got both ashore.

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill., has succeeded in finding a positive cure for bed wetting. "My little boy wet the bed every night clear through to the floor. I tried several kinds of kidney medicine and I was in the drug store looking for something different to help him when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we could see a change and when he had taken two-thirds of a bottle he was cured. That is about six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed since." Dreier Drug Co.

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AGGIE GRANT IS TO BE TOT BOSS

Will Not Be Handicapped in Selection of Players or Playing End.

HIS FIRST CHANCE

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 26.—Although Angus A. Grant has been a manager in the Central league since 1903 and has shown the most marked ability as a judge of young players and as a field general, he has never been in position to show his real worth as he has worked under handicaps that have materially affected his usefulness.

Next season he is to be absolute boss of the Tots with A. W. Wagner and his base ball associates behind him with plenty of money and this will give him a chance he has never had before since he quit the American association to take up the arduous duties of director general.

At South Bend he had a stock company behind him with so many dollar stockholders in it that he met a manager on every corner and when he eventually cut loose and embarked on his own hook he was seriously circumscribed by lack of funds. Conditions have been altered by his new associations and while he may not win a pennant he will give Terre Haute some scrappy base ball.

That John Somerlott will be shifted when the season opens is one of the prospects, as the club owners have secured two men to fight him for the place. One is Walsh, drafted from Fall River, Mass., by the Cubs and turned over for seasoning. The other is Gust, a Kitty league recruit, who is coming with a wonderful reputation as a hitter. The club will be pretty well supplied with pitchers in Ben Patterson, who, while pitching with Terre Haute last season, lost five games, although he allowed only 9 hints in all five games. Wagner has bought him from Cincinnati and he will be on the mound. Cy Alberts will be here. Adams, drafted from the South-eastern league, will also be tried by Grant and Walter Queisser, the Indianapolis man who came from the Southern league last year, is also on the list. He will be a mainstay of the Miners in 1912.

There is a man by the name of Carlo, of whom Manager Grant predicts great things.

Other pitchers on whom Wagner has a string are Beasley, farmed last year to the Kitty league; Loomis, Smith and Markham. A deal has been completed which gives Calvert, a Kitty league pitcher, to the team. Wagner signed Comstock, a former Navy pitcher, a few days ago. Comstock is a big fellow and comes well recommended.

Aggie Grant on second will be hard to improve on and Steve Ragan and Mahoney will fight it out at short.

Mahoney was seen in action on the local lot a part of last season. Ragan, who broke his ankle at Fort Wayne last fall, writes that he has been on hunting trips two or three times each week, and that the injured ankle does not bother him.

Nee seems to be the best of the third basemen.

One Miller, an outfielder, drafted from the Southern league by the Cubs, has been bought by Wagner, and it is more than likely that he will hold down the right garden. Snyder, last year with Evansville, who was bought by the local magnate at the Dayton meeting, should make good. Hartford, who was a valuable man last year, will be used during the coming season as utility man or an outfielder.

At present there is a deal on for a new catcher. Just who this man is, or where he comes from, Wagner will not state, but he does say that if the deal goes through Terre Haute will have a backstop the equal of which will not be found in the Central league. However, at present there are four backstops, any of whom are good possibilities.

Parker, who was with Grand Rapids last year, should be good. O'Brien, the former Zanesville backstop, who was with the Miners two months last season, will be here again when spring training starts. Then of course there will be "Bubbles" Hargrove. Waring, the catcher purchased by Louis Smith from Toledo, and who was suspended last year after having had trouble with Wheeler, writes Wagner that he will be in condition to play. He declares that he likes the new management and will put the proper spirit in his work.

Terre Haute will be well fixed for pitchers.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN SPORT WORLD

The rise of Willie Ritchie has been so sudden that he is being called the mushroom champion.

Catcher Blair plays in Rochester and New York every other season. Next year he'll be at Rochester, the Yanks having turned him over to Ganzell along with Pitcher Klopfer.

Owner Wagner is not satisfied with the name of Miners for the Terre Haute team and sport writers will meet and decide on a new one. However, the club will be generally known as the Tots so long as the Central league exists.

Dr. Carson is out with his annual announcement that he is against farming, but his objections have been promptly overruled every year, but one by the directors of his league.

South Bend is raising quite a little family row about the naming of its club for next season, which is all very nice, but all of this energy might be better expended in an effort to get a park accessible to the city and that would not be a disgrace to the Central league.

After stuffing black hide full of the good things that go with a double Christmas celebration Jack Johnson announced that he would go into training tomorrow and graciously allow the great public to see him fight again if some promoter could guarantee him $30,000 as his end of the purse.

In sending out a calendar for 1912, Willard Stuart, manager for Grover Hayes announces in his letter head that his man "always fights—never stalls." This is certainly highly commendatory, but it may make some people wonder why it is necessary unless the manager wants to notify the public that the game is crooked.

George Schiel, formerly catcher for the Reds and later with the New York Giants, has signed with Chicago, and will help out Jimmy Archer behind the bat next season. George was given his unconditional release by New York last June, and was a free agent; so Frank Chance secured him to add to his backstop department.

Dayton News: Fairview Baseball park, where for seventeen years the Dayton fans have been treated with everything from pennant winners to tailenders, and where fifteen Dayton teams have battled for honors in the Interstate league, Western association and Central league, will soon be a thing of the past. Workmen are tearing down the grandstand and bleachers and in a few days the old park will be but a memory in the minds of the fans who journeyed to Fairview for the past seventeen years.

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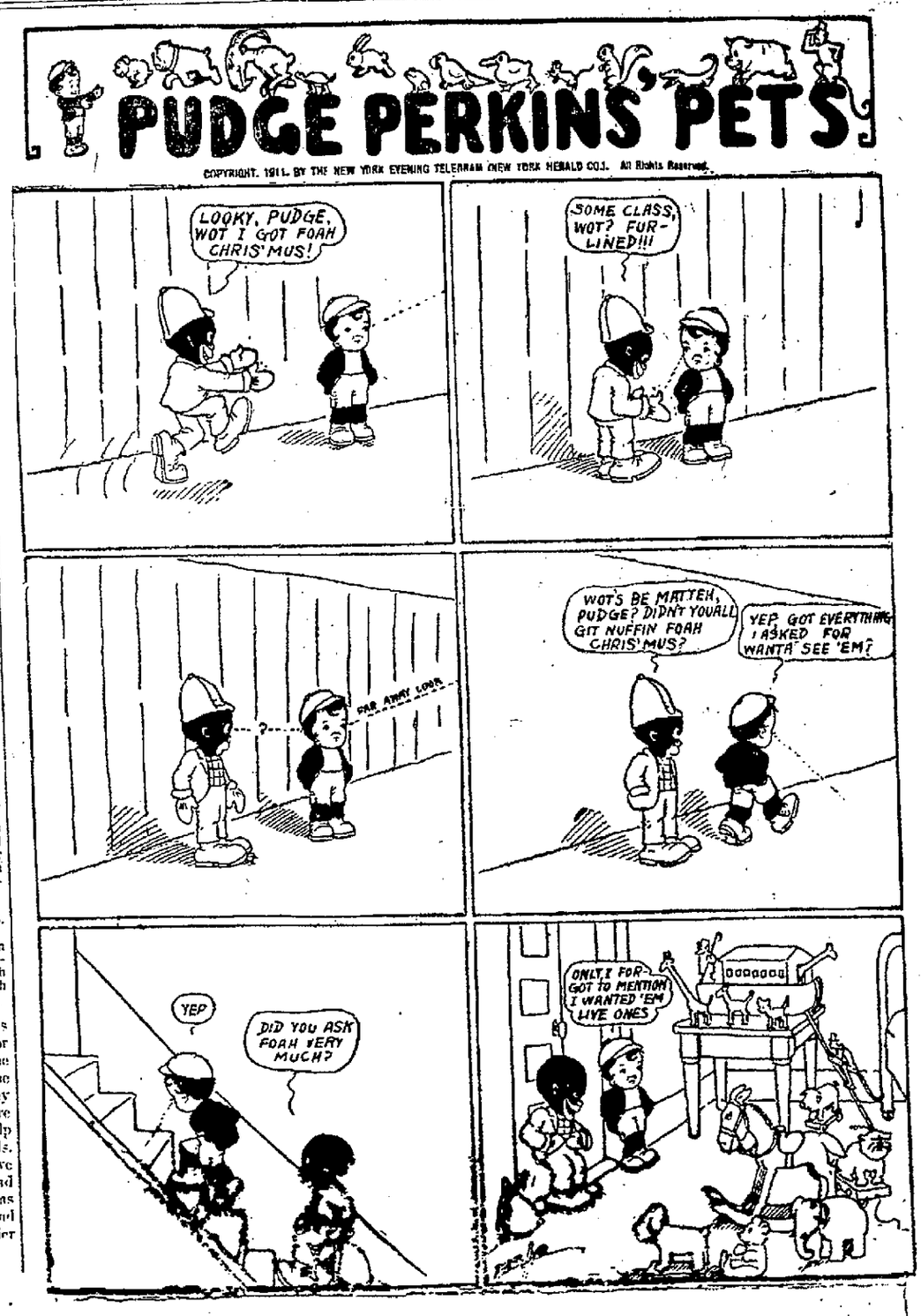

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Rye—80c bu.

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Flour—Winter wheat straight, $4.40@4.50 bbl; winter wheat patents, $5.40@5.60; spring wheat patents, $5.00@5.60 bbl; graham flour, $4.40@4.80 bbl; rye flour, $5.00@5.20; pumpernickle, $5.00@4.80 bbl.
Screenings—$22.00 ton.
Chopfeed—$30.00 ton.
Bran—$24.00 ton.
Shorts—$24.00 ton.
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Oats—46c bu.
Wheat—92c bu.
Rye—80c bu.
Barley—80c bu.
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Wheat—92c bu.
Corn—55c bu.
Oats—46c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat, straight, $4.60@5.00 bbl.
Rye—80c bu.
Barley—80c bu.
Bran—$24.00 ton.
Shorts—$24.00 ton.
Middlings—$25.00 ton.
Chop Feed—$28.00 ton.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

Wiener & Co.
(Corrected by C. M. Wiener.)

Butter—Fancy Elgin creamery, tub, 33c lb; fancy Elgin prints, 35c lb; country butter, 28@30c lb; packing butter, 20c lb.
Eggs—Strictly fresh candled, 30c doz; regular selected extras, 26@28c doz; storage, 22@23c doz.
Potatoes—New, 95@1.00 bu.
Onions—Home-grown, dry, $1.00@1.10.
Apples—50@1.00 bu.
Poultry—Hens, 9@10c lb; springers, 9@10c lb; ducks, 10@11c lb.
Beans — Michigan hand-picked, $2.60@2.60.
Cabbage—New, 35@40c doz.
Sweet Potatoes—$2.50@2.75 bu.
Honey—Fancy comb, 18@20c lb.
Cheese—Cream, 16c lb; brick, 17c lb; Swiss, 20c lb; limburger, 17c lb; long horn, 17c lb.

Beyer Brothers Co.
(Corrected by C. L. Hull, Mgr.)

Eggs—Strictly fresh candled eggs, 30c doz; storage eggs, guaranteed, 22c doz; Eggs—Fancy Winona prints, 36c lb; tub, 35@35½c lb; Sweet Clover process butter, 27½c lb.
Cheese—Wisconsin cream, 18c lb; long horns, 17c lb; brick, 17c lb.

Retail Street Market.

Eggs—Fresh gathered extras, 33@35c doz.
Butter—Elgin creamery, 34@35c lb; country butter, 33@35c lb.
Potatoes—$1.10@1.20.
Apples—75c@$1.00 bu.
Poultry—Chickens, 9@12c lb; turkeys, 16@17c lb; ducks, dressed, 15@18c lb.

CITY SCALE PRICES.

Hay—$17.00@20.00 ton.
Oats—44@48c bu.
Corn—56@68c bu.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Corrected by Fred Eckart Packing Co.)

Hogs—160 lbs. up, $5.85; 125 lbs. to 150 lbs., $5.40.
Cattle—Good steers, $4.00@4.50; good heifers, $3.50@4.25; cows, $2.50@3.00; bulls, $3.00@3.50; veal calves, $5.50@6.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2.00@2.50; lambs, $4.50@5.00.

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Cured Calf Skins—16@17c lb.
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Zinc and Lead—3½c lb.
Scrap Iron—35@40c cwt.
Horse Hides—$4.00.
Rags—$1.00 cwt.
Copper—9@10c lb.
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Cured Hides—12@12½c lb.
Green Calf Hides—15½c lb.
Cured Calf Hides—17c lb.
Horse Hides—$3.75@4.00.
Rubber Boots and Shoes—3c

FEED QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co.)

Hay—Timothy, $16.00@20.00 ton; mixed hay, $15.00@18.00 ton; clover hay, $14.00@17.00 ton.
Baled Straw—$6.00@7.00 ton.
Corn—Old, 60@70c bu; new, 52@53c bu.
Oats—46@48c bu.
Barley—75@80c bu.
Rye—75@80c bu.
Timothy Seed—$6.00@6.50.

QUOTATIONS ON FURS.

(Corrected by Weil Bros. & Co.)

Skunk—50c to $3.00.
Mink—$1.00 to $7.00.
Muskrats—10c to 75c.
Opossum—10c to 65c.
Raccoon—25c to $3.00.
Red Fox—$1.00 to $6.00.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Snow, affording protection and moisture for winter wheat, had a tendency today to lower the price of the cereal. Opening prices were ⅛c to ½c lower. May started at 98⅛c to 98¼c, a loss of ⅛c to ¼c and declined to 97⅞c.

An advance at Buenos Ayres helped rally the market, and so did a decrease in the visible supply. The close, however, was weak with May at 97⅞c, a net loss of ½c.

Sympathy with wheat caused a drop in corn. May opened a shade to ⅛c higher at 64⅛@64¼c, and receded to 63¾c.

Prices showed little rallying power. The close was weak at 63⅝c for May, a decline of ½c net.

Notwithstanding good sized purchases for commission houses, the oats market followed corn down hill. May started a sixteenth to ⅛c off at 47½@47⅝c to 47⅝c and fell to 47¼c.

An advance in hogs gave some strength to provisions, but the rise was checked by the falling off in exports of products. First sales were 2½c lower to 5c up with May delivery $16.05 for pork, $9.42½ to $9.45 for lard and $8.62½ for ribs.

Range of Prices for the Day.
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	.94	.94½	.93⅝	.93⅞
May	.98⅛	.98⅝	.97¾	.97⅞
July	.93⅝	.93¾	.93¼	.93⅜
Corn—				
Dec.	.63¾	.64	.63⅝	.63½
May	.64⅛	.64¼	.63½	.63⅝
July	.64⅛	.64¼	.63½	.63½
Oats—				
Dec.	.46¼	.46½	.45⅝	.45⅝
May	.47½	.47¾	.46⅝	.46⅞
July	.44⅛	.44½	.43	.43
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	16.05	16.07½	15.92½	16.02½
July	16.17½	16.20	16.10	16.20
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Jan.	9.15	9.20	9.12½	9.17½
May	9.42½	9.45	9.37½	9.45
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Jan.	8.30	8.35	8.27½	8.35
May	8.62½	8.62½	8.55	8.62½

Car Lot Receipts.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Wheat—Receipts today were 22 cars, with 1 of contract grade.
Corn—Receipts today were 177 cars, with none of contract grade.
Oats—Receipts today were 123 cars.
Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 957 cars, compared with 325 cars last week and 674 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Toledo Seed Market.

Toledo, O., Dec. 26.—Cloverseed—Cash, $12.42½; December, $12.42½; March, $12.30; February, $12.65; No. 2, $12.10@12.20; No. 3, $11.85@12.00; rejected, $11.40@11.25; no established grade, $5.40@11.00.

Alsike—Prime and December, $10.97½; March, $11.10.
Timothy—Prime, $7.32½; December, $7.32½; March, $7.45.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Dec. 26.—Closing prices today were as follows:
Wheat—Cash and December, 95½c; May, 98⅝c; July, 95½c.
Corn—Cash, 65¼c; December, 65c; May and July, 65c.
Oats—Cash and December, 48¾c; May, 49¾c; July, 46c.
Rye—Cash, 92c.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 95½@96½c; No. 3 red, 93½@95½c; No. 2 hard, 99@1.00; No. 3 hard, 94@97c; No. 1 northern, $1.07@1.09; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.07; No. 3 northern, $1.00@1.05; No. 2 spring, 98@1.05¾; No. 3 spring, 95@1.02; No. 4 spring, 85@97c; velvet chaff, 90@1.04; durum, 90@1.00.
Corn—No. 2, 70c; No. 2 yellow, old, 71@72c; No. 3, 60½@62c; No. 3 white, 61½@63c; No. 4, 58½@59½c; No. 4 white, 59¾@60c; No. 4 yellow, 58¼@59½c.
Oats—No. 2, 47¼@48¼c; No. 3, 45½c; No. 3 white, 45¾@47c; No. 4 white, 44½@46½c; standard, 46½@47½c.
Rye—No. 2, 92c.
Barley—75@1.27.
Timothy—$12.50@15.00.
Clover—$12.50@20.25.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Dec. 26.—Flour — Market quiet and about steady.
Wheat—May, $1.02½@1.02⅝.
Pork—Market steady.
Beef—Market steady.
Lard—Market quiet; middle west, $9.15@9.25.
Raw Sugar—Market quiet.
Molasses—Market steady.
Hay—Market dull.
Leather—Market firm.
Hides—Market steady.

LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 26.—Hogs—Receipts today were 4,800 head; shipments today were 1,140 head, all to New York; official shipments to New York yesterday were 4,180 head; market closing steady, and pigs and light yorkers, slow; yorkers, medium and heavy, $6.40@6.45; pigs and light yorkers, $6.35@6.45; roughs, $5.50@5.80; stags, $4.25@5.25.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 10,400 head; market steady for sheep and lower for lambs, with tops at $6.35.
Cattle—Receipts today were 225 head; market steady.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Cattle—Receipts today were estimated at 15,000 head; market steady; beeves, $4.35@8.90; Texas steers, $4.20@5.75; western steers, $4.30@6.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.80; cows and heifers, $2.00@6.50; calves, $4.75@7.25.
Hogs—Receipts today were estimated at 25,000 head; market strong; light, $5.75@6.20; mixed, $5.90@6.35; heavy, $5.95@6.40; roughs, $5.95@6.10; good to choice heavy, $6.10@6.40; pigs, $4.60@5.75; bulk of sales, $6.05@6.25.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were estimated at 22,000 head; market strong; native sheep, $2.50@4.25; western sheep, $2.75@4.25; yearlings, $4.50@5.50; native lambs, $4.25@6.40; western lambs, $4.50@6.35.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 26. — Receipts today were: Hogs, 6,000 head; cattle, 8,50 head; calves, 150 head; sheep, 600 head.
Cattle—Extra choice feeding steers, $5.25@5.50; good feeding, $4.75@5.00; medium feeding, $4.25@4.65; common to best stockers, $3.50@4.75; veal calves, $4.00@8.25.
Hogs—Best heavies, $6.30@6.40; mediums and mixed, $6.20@6.40; good to choice lights, $6.20@6.30; common to good lights, $6.00@6.15; roughs, $5.50@6.00; best pigs, $5.50@6.00; light pigs, $4.00@5.25; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.40.
Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice lambs, $5.25@5.50; good to choice sheep, $2.75@3.10.

Cincinnati Market.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 26.—Cattle — Receipts today were 727 head; market higher; steers, $4.25@7.00; heifers, $3.25@6.00; cows, $1.50@5.25; calves, $3.00@8.00.
Hogs—Receipts today were 2,627 head; market higher; packers, $6.00@6.40; stags, $3.00@5.00; roughs, $4.00@5.75; pigs and lights, $4.50@6.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 186 head; market steady for sheep and slow for lambs; sheep, $1.25@3.35; lambs, $3.00@5.50.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 26.—Cattle — Receipts today were 1,100 head.
Hogs—Receipts today were 5,000 head; heavy yorkers, $6.65; light yorkers, $6.45; pigs, $6.35.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 2,800 head; top sheep, $3.85; top lambs, $6.50.
Calves—Receipts today were 1,000 head; tops, $9.00.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Butter — Market steady; creameries, 26@36c; dairies, 23@31c.
Eggs—Market weak; today's receipts were 2,566 cases; at mark, cases included, 17@26c; firsts, 22@24c; prime firsts, 26@27c.
Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 16½c; twins, 16¼c; young Americas, 16½c; long horns, 16½c.
Potatoes—Market strong; Wisconsin, 85@88c; Michigan, 88@90c.
Poultry — Alive, market firm; turkeys, 14c; chickens, 11c; springs, 10c.
Veal—Market steady, at 7@11c.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 26.—Butter — Market unsettled; receipts today were 6,373 packages; creamery specials, 38c; process specials, 26½@27c.
Cheese—Market firm; receipts, 1,700 state, whole milk fall and earlier specials, 16@16¼c; daisies, fall and earlier best, 16@16½c; skims, 13c.
Eggs—Market unsettled; receipts, 5,184 cases; fresh gathered extras, 34@35c; western gathered whites, 33@38c.
Poultry—Alive, market steady; western chickens, 11½c; fowls, 12@13c; turkeys, 14½c; dressed poultry, market firm; western chickens, 6@16½c; fowls, 6@16c; turkeys, 12@20c.

OIL.

Toledo Market.

Toledo, O., Dec. 26.—North Lima, 82c bbl; South Lima and Indiana, 77c bbl.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Dec. 26.—Lehigh Valley was the prominent feature of the stock market today when trading was resumed after the triple holiday period. Opening with a gain of ½ it was forced upward quickly to a point above the previous close. Canadian Pacific also advanced a point. The list in general was irregular. Changes were small.

The slight buying movement in evidence at the opening was not continued. The list fell back a fraction and became stagnant at the recession. Lehigh Valley was offered freely on the advance and reacted 1¼.

Trading in stocks fell to nominal proportions during the morning. Lehigh Valley gave way sluggishly until it touched 185¼, compared with 186⅞, the highest price on record made earlier. Its weakness was ignored by the other active stocks, which continued downward at a level slightly below Friday's close. Bonds were easier.

The market closed easy. Utah Copper was taken in hand in the final hour and marked up 1¼. The tone otherwise was easier.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Last Sale.
New York, Dec. 26.

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Am. C. & Fdy.	54¼	Louis. & Nash.	153⅞
Am. Cot. Oil	47¼	Missouri Pac.	38½
Am. Loco.	36	M., K. & T.	28⅝
Am. S. & Ref.	75	Nat. Biscuit	139½
do pfd.	103	Nat. Lead	53⅝
Am. Sug. Ref.	115	N. Y. Central	105½
An. Min. Co.	38⅞	Norfolk & W.	108¾
Atchison	106⅛	Northern Pac.	118⅝
At. Coast Line	134½	Pacific Mail	30
Bal. & Ohio	103⅝	Pennsylvania	122⅞
Br. Rap. Tr.	77	People's Gas	103
Canadian Pac.	242	Pull. Pal. Car.	158
Ches. & Ohio	74¾	Reading	153½
Chi. & North.	143	Rock Is. Co.	23¾
C., M. & St. P.	110½	do pfd.	44¾
Col. F. & Iron.	26¼	Southern Pac.	112½
Col. & South.	45	Southern Ry.	29⅝
Del. & Hud.	167	Union Pac.	174
Den. & Rio G.	19¼	U. S. Steel	68½
do pfd.	34¼	do pfd.	111¼
Erie	32⅜	Wabash	6¼
Gt. Nor. pfd.	127¾	do pfd.	16⅝
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Joe Pedery went to police headquarters this afternoon to deny that he had sold any liquor yesterday as testified to by a foreigner in the city court today. He said that he would like to see the man and if he can be located he will file an affidavit against him for perjury.

NOTES OF THE COURTS.

Arguments were opened in the prosecution of Earl Griswold in the circuit court this afternoon. Under the schedule fixed by Judge O'Rourke they will be called about 5 o'clock and the case submitted tonight to the jury. Griswold took the stand in his own defense and denied all of the charges that had been made against him.

Judge O'Rourke today granted to James A. McCormick a divorce from Mary J. McCormick.

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FOR SALE—Two Percheron horses; a bargain if taken at once. R. A. Glaeseman, Grabill, Ind., P. O. Box 42. 18-12t

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LOOK, DAIRYMEN—A sanitary milk bottle cap, printed; 13 cents per thousand. Write for samples. W. G. Dupoy, R. R. 10, Muncie, Ind. 21-5t

FOR SALE—Nice 7-room cottage on Stophlet St. A splendid bargain; $2,850.
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FOR SALE—City and Suburban Realty Co. will build on your lot, will buy a lot and build for you or will sell you one of their high-class modern houses in any of the better locations of the city. Payment plan if desired.
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LOST—Sigma Xi key; owner's name on back. Call H. P., 1345-black, or at 1307 Cass St. Reward.

LOST—Gold watch. Initial M on case; marked on inside of case "From Papa and Mama, 1910." Lost on the way Lewis St., Calhoun St. to 10c stores. Rurodes, Wolf & Dessauer, Columbia St., Washington and Barr Sts. Reward if returned to 438 E. Lewis St. 25-2t

LOST—Pocketbook containing $6.15. Return to 334 East Lewis St., and receive reward. Mary Marshall, flat No. 5. 26-2t

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Modern property, four squares from courthouse, for $6,000; real value $9,000.
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Beautiful 7-room house, Hanna St., near Pontiac; furnace, soft water bath and electric lights, cemented cellar and walks, paved street, nice garage, lot 45x190, $2,900.
Nice cottage, near Washington St.; both kinds of water in house; gas lights, good cellar. Rented for $10 per month. $1,300.
Beautiful 6-room cottage; electric lights, both kinds of water, cemented cellar and walks, on Lafayette St., near Pontiac; $2,200.
Beautiful 6-room cottage; electric lights, both kinds of water; toilet in house, near Pontiac car line; $1,900.
Nice 8-room new house in Bloomingdale, modern, except furnace; $2,600.
Rooming house, ten rooms, strictly modern, centrally located; will take smaller property in exchange.
2 acres with fine 7-room house, near Broadway car line; $4,000.
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Four-room house on Curtice Ave; owner wishing to leave the city, and will take $300 cash, balance on time.
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Avoid all habit-forming drugs—when choosing a remedy for Baby's cough know absolutely that it contains no morphine, chloroform, or alcohol.

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FOREIGNER SAYS LID WAS TILTED

Swears He Bought Boze at Joe Pedery's on Christmas.

ENGLISH VERY BAD

A foreigner who spoke very little English and who spoke what little he did speak so brokenly that it was hard to understand him, swore in the city court that he bought whisky at Joe Pedery's house in the rolling mills district Christmas afternoon.

He had the bottle, which contained a decoction of whisky, moth balls and camphor ice, according to the station house analysis, and was dead drunk when the officers got him. He made the judge understand where he got his whisky, but no affidavit was filed.

The reason given for this is that the fellow talks so little English it would be hard to convict on his testimony. Pedery was recently in court on the testimony of another foreigner, but was not convicted. However, when he went into the commissioners' court he was charged with selling beer in buckets to a minor and lost his renewal.

The police think it possible that he had some stock left over and that he is disposing of it to the foreigners in the district. Martin had not opened the bottle he had. Reports from officers out investigating saloon conditions yesterday were to the effect that there were no law violations.

A case of assault and battery against Earl Bowers was continued until next Tuesday and Arthur Daugherty, held for investigation on a charge of public intoxication, was let go on his promise to leave the city at once.

NOTICE!

The annual election of directors for the Hamilton National bank, of Fort Wayne, will be held at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 9th, 1912, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m.

F. H. POOLE, Cashier.
Dec 5-32t

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A Real After Christmas Sale

This is your opportunity to get a present that you expected, but didn't get, or to get the most for the Christmas money you received.

All Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets............ ½ price
All Manicure Sets .... ½ price
All Christmas Stationery .... ½ price
All Shaving Sets .... ½ price
All Cuff and Collar Boxes .... ½ price
All Cigar Jars .... ½ price

The original price tags are left on these articles, you simply take it at half that price.

The Brushes in these sets have the finest bristles, the manicure implements are made of the finest steel, the stationery in these boxes is of the finest hand-plated and a good many of the finest linen variety, so that they are good for your personal everyday use.

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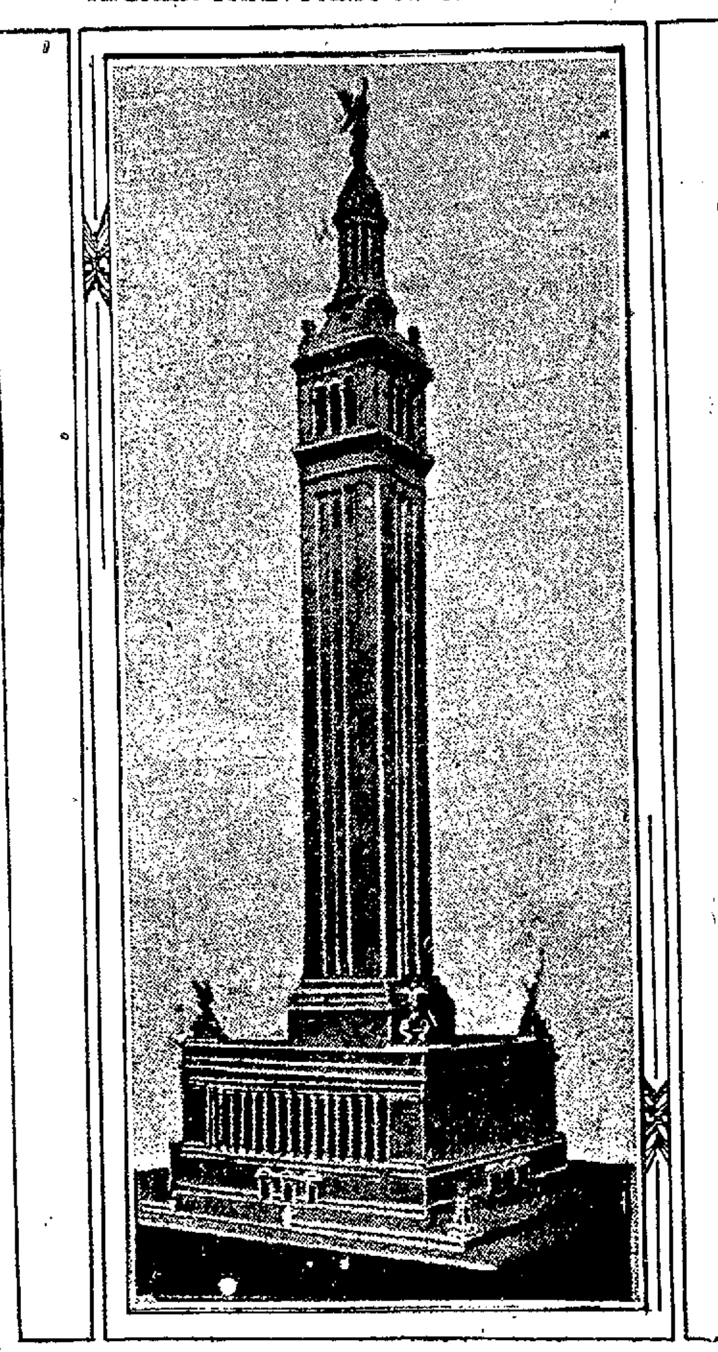

TOWER PROPOSED FOR THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION TO RISE 1,300 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL WHICH WOULD BE 316 FEET HIGHER THAN EIFFEL TOWER AND 745 FEET HIGHER THAN THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

Directors of the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco have approved plans for the erection of a memorial which will be higher than the Eiffel tower. A model is shown in the above photograph. The top of the tower will be approximately 1,300 feet above the sea level if erected in Lincoln Park. That would make it 316 feet higher than the Eiffel Tower in Paris, and 745 feet higher than the Washington Monument. The tower can be used if so desired as a meteorological station.

CITY BREVITIES

Joseph Hartman, of East Lewis street, is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital, suffering from pneumonia.

En route for a visit at Hoagland Saturday evening Mrs. Stonebrunner, of New Haven, stepped upon a weighing machine at the Pennsylvania station, dropping what she presumed was a penny in the slot. Aboard the train she discovered that the coin was in reality a $5 gold piece. From Hoagland she wired the station of her loss, the machine was opened and the gold piece found and today it was returned to her.

Edwin Roemer, who is a wireless operator on the battleship New Hampshire, is at home spending the holiday season with his parents on East Lewis street.

Special sale on Calendars. Jones, 112 W. Wayne. 26eod-4t

IS SHE HEIR TO MILLIONS?

Joplin, Mo., Dec. 26.—A little woman, aged 71, is Mrs. Martha Wilson, granddaughter of Lord Thomas Price, whose Baltimore estate of $415,000,000 awaits the finding of 1,500 heirs. Her story is stranger than the most fanciful productions of authors.

She is the daughter of Maj. J. A. Price, one of the heroes of the war of 1812 and the Mexican war. Lord Thomas Price, her grandfather, who dropped his title when he came to this country before the revolutionary war, was one of the right-hand men of George Washington, and in the early days he settled lands where Baltimore now is.

The heirs to all of this land have a clear title, and recently, when her brother, David Price, of Ashton, S. D., made a visit to Baltimore, he showed the papers which identified him as one of the direct descendants. He was then offered $415,000,000 for the property, which stands where the greater portion of Baltimore business blocks are.

FOR RENT — Modern Calhoun street corner store. Inquire H. A. Wiebke, Hof Brau. 11-21-tu-th-sat-tf

SEALS STILL ON SALE.

Another Week in Which to Aid Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign.

Local committees have determined to continue throughout the week the sale of the Fort Wayne Christmas seals, which are designed to provide funds for the war on tuberculosis. It is believed that approximately 50,000 of the seals have already been sold, and as many more are yet available. It will be impossible to give a definite report as to the aggregate sales until all reports are in at the close of the selling.

Table d' Hote dinner, 9 to 12 Saturday. Wayne Hotel. Music. 26-4t

On account of New Years eve falling on Sunday will hold this year's celebration on Saturday evening, serving an elaborate midnight table d' Hote.
ALT HEIDELBERG CAFE 26-4t

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Reduced Prices on All Holiday Goods

Starting today, all remaining holiday goods and novelties will have their prices reduced to make a speedy clearance. Our holiday stocks were immense this year, and, in spite of the splendid business which we have done this month, there still remains enough to make it to your interest to select and buy these things at a saving.

A Good Chance to Purchase New Year's Gifts at Small Expense.

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—and—
Happy New Year

Have a share in prosperity. Start a savings account on our plan. We can help you.

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